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HON. LUCIUS MANLIUS BOLTWOOD.

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"Americans of royal descent" is a high sounding phrase. As usually interpreted it refers to those who can trace a lineage to some one who at some time sat upon the English throne; it matters not whether the seat was obtained by invasion and rapine or by treason, revolt, and murder; whether the line comes direct through bloody tyrants or by side issues,—if only it has been labeled "royal." The term is a good one, however, and can be put to better use. It is a high honor to be able to trace one's line to the kings and queens who peacefully invaded New England, and, braving all odds, founded dynasties on the bleak sands of Cape Cod, amid the jagged rocks and tangled swamps of the Bay, or on the broad alluvial fields of the Connecticut Valley. From such an ancestry Lucius Manlius Boltwood could claim direct descent through more than fifty lines. In a brief paper like this it is impossible to give even the baldest record of such an heredity. These men walked in varying paths, each a sturdy, independent traveller, seeking breadth and freedom from oppressive religious thrall, afar from their native land. They were each in the van of that great wave of civil and theological betterment which carried them out of England, and which is still slowly, but surely spreading over the world. Whatever may be said of environment, no one can doubt that in such a case as this, heredity must be a potent factor in the development of Mr. Boltwood. Of such royal blood he had a right to be proud. Among these men, two crossed in the *Mayflower*, but nearly all left their homes during the reign of that apostle of untruth, Charles I.

As all come-outers must be, each of these men was individual,—not one in a conglomerate mass, welded together by time and circumstance. In this condition of things we have no right to expect that, while they could and did unite against an oppressive theology at home, their religious ideas should be moulded in one and the same form here. As the natural outcome of such a condition, we

find interminable divisions and quarrelling on points of belief, which are to us so small and meaningless as not to be discovered with the naked eye.

I. Robert Boltwood, one of these men, was an immigrant before 1648; a freeman 1658. When the church at Wethersfield, Conn., was rent in twain by one of these puerile quarrels over some particular interpretation of certain scripture texts, he was one of those under the lead of the redoubtable John Russell, who shook the Connecticut dust off their feet, went up the River, and founded the town of Hadley, in 1659. Little is known about the career of Robert Boltwood in Hadley, but that little is to his credit; he earned the title of sergeant in the militia, and we see his mettle in the act noted below. The Hadley corn mill, three miles north of the village, was burnt by the Indians. The owners declined to replace it, but bold Robert Boltwood rebuilt it in 1677, and ran it until his death in 1684. His son Samuel is found to be the miller in 1685. The wife of Robert was Mary, of unknown parentage. She died May 14, 1687. Their children were: Samuel, married Sarah Lewis; Sarah, married, May 31, 1666, Isaac Warner, of Hatfield; Lydia, married, April 2, 1674, John Warner, of Springfield; Martha, married, April 1, 1674, Daniel Warner, of Hatfield; Mary, married, Oct. 24, 1667, James Bebee.

II. Samuel, only son of Robert, settled in Hadley. He married Sarah, daughter of Captain William Lewis, of Farmington, Connecticut. They had five sons and five daughters. Like his father, he was a sergeant, and a miller; he is called by tradition a man of remarkable strength and bravery; he was one of that patriotic band which, under the lead of Captain William Turner, broke the back of Philip's War, at Peskeompskut, May 19, 1676. It was on this occasion that his friend Benjamin Wait won his first laurels, and young Jonathan Wells immortalized his name as the "young hero of the Connecticut Valley."

Samuel was a soldier stationed at Deerfield when the awful desolation of Feb. 29, 1704, fell upon that town. When knowledge of the attack reached Hadley, his three sons, Samuel Jr., Robert, and Ebenezer, knowing their father was involved, joined the troop which rode rapidly to the rescue. Samuel and his three sons were all in the desperate fight on Deerfield Meadows for the recovery of the captive inhabitants. In the same gallant band which rode and fought that morning were John, Ebenezer, and Samuel Warner, sons of Martha Boltwood; and Daniel Warner, a son of Sarah Boltwood. Here, then, were one son and seven grandsons of Robert the immigrant.

Sergeant Samuel and his son Robert were killed in the unequal combat on the Meadows. So much, then, do we, the sons of Deerfield, owe to the ready pluck and valor brought over in the blood of Sergeant Robert Boltwood.

When the battle was over, it became a sad duty of the survivors to gather up the bodies of those who fell upon the field, and with the men, women, and children murdered in the village, to lay them together in a common burial. Thus it came to pass, that the first born of the Boltwood blood in America, the ancestor of Lucius Manlius, found his last bed in the same grave where many of my own lineage were laid on that dreadful day. A plain, enduring monument marks the spot where the mingled ashes of two generations of Boltwoods, and two generations of Sheldons, were laid to rest for aye, within the sound of the murmuring Pocumtuck. Hard by, within the same God's Acre, were laid in later years other descendants of Sarah Boltwood. There is a kinship through common suffering as well as common blood, and the feeling that through both I am joined to Mr. Boltwood asserts itself now, and claims this recognition. It may well be that here was laid the foundation upon which there were built so many unions between these families in later years.

III. Solomon, the youngest son of Samuel, born July 2, 1694, and so nine years old when his father was slain, removed to Amherst about 1737. Nothing is found to distinguish him from his fellows. He died April 20, 1762. His wife was Mary, daughter of John Norton, of Farmington, Conn., widow of John Pantry, of Hartford. She died May 24, 1763, aged 76. They had three sons and three daughters.

IV. William, oldest son of Solomon and Mary, born Feb. 4, 1725, settled in Amherst, was a Lieut., served on the frontier in the French and Indian wars, and died May 2, 1799. His wife was Mary, daughter of Ebenezer Sheldon, of Northampton, born Dec. 8, 1724, married Dec. 10, 1750, died May 10, 1809. They had five daughters and two sons. The older, John, served in the Revolutionary War, and died in 1803. The younger: —

V. William, born May 4, 1766, remained in Amherst. He was a blacksmith and farmer, possessing a remarkable memory, great firmness and decision of character, good judgment and sterling common sense. He died Aug. 15, 1835. His first wife was Eunice, daughter of Stephen and Ruth (Church) Noble, of Westfield, born in 1770, married Aug. 2, 1789, died June 6, 1807. William married second, Feb. 18, 1808, Irene, daughter of Isaac and Submit (Graves) Hubbard of Sunderland, and widow of Asahel Clark of Amherst. She was sister to Stephen Hubbard, who had married Lucy Boltwood, his sister. Mrs. Irene Boltwood died Aug. 6, 1831. William married third, Feb. 6, 1833, Olive, daughter of Joel Smith, widow of Lucius Hastings. He had three sons and six daughters.

VI. Lucius, son of William and Eunice, was born March 16, 1792, the second of nine children. William was a farmer with small means, and could only aid his son, who was earnest in desir-

ing an education, by giving him his time in the winter. So the aspiring youth worked his way,—nine months on the farm and three months at the village school, later at the new Academy, and finally by teaching school. He was a graduate of Williams College in 1814. This college was selected because it was near by, and he could walk home on occasion, the distance being *only* about fifty miles. He settled in Amherst and became one of her leading citizens. He read law with Hon. Samuel F. Dickinson, and was admitted to the Hampshire Bar in 1817. About this time the Unitarian movement in the Connecticut Valley, which came to the front with the settlement of Rev. Samuel Willard at Deerfield, was so spreading that it occasioned a serious disturbance among the conservatives, and in 1819, a strong effort was made to establish a "Literary Institution," avowedly to check the advance of the more liberal belief. Young lawyer Boltwood was one of the foremost in promoting this measure in defence of the Calvinistic creed, and by his activity and eloquence was able to command considerable influence in the community, in securing the location of the adverse camp in his native town. His heart was filled with great joy and pride when Amherst College became a reality in 1821. Mr. Boltwood was secretary of Amherst College, 1828–1864; was commissioner of its Charity Fund, 1833–1866; was president of Amherst Bank, 1855–6; was a justice of the peace with an extensive business. He was a vigorous newspaper writer; had a decided taste for genealogical and historical research, and was a standard authority on these subjects in his native town, rivaled only by his wife. He may be called by his manner and habits a Gentleman of the Old School; he habitually wore a ruffled shirt, a blue broadcloth swallow-tail coat with gilt buttons. Even down to his latest years he retained an erect form, an elastic step, and a dignified bearing. Originally a Whig in politics, he was one of the founders of the Liberty Party, when arose the first organized political revolt against negro slavery, and he was its candidate for governor of Massachusetts in 1841. In addition to his public occupations, he was a good all-round man of affairs, and accumulated a fair competence for the time and place.

Lucius Boltwood married, Aug. 30, 1824, Fanny Haskins, daughter of Rev. Mase Shepard, a minister at Little Compton, R. I., and of Deborah, daughter of Capt. John Haskins, of Boston. Ruth Haskins, a sister of Deborah, was the mother of Ralph Waldo Emerson. Soon after the death of Rev. Mr. Shepard, in 1821, his widow with her children all removed to the village of Amherst, which was then aspiring to crown herself with a college, and this family became at once prominent in the educational forces of the town. Fanny, then seventeen years old, was the eighth child of this family. She became the mother of eight sons and one daughter. Her first child, Lucius Manlius, was born in the house of her mother, known as the Shepard house for many years, before being destroyed by fire.

In 1835, Lucius Boltwood built a stately mansion on a lot adjoining the college. Here in the home of Lucius and Fanny H. Boltwood, simple, open-door, yet elegant hospitality was the rule. Here were entertained by the brilliant hostess many of the brightest stars in the intellectual firmament of New England during the middle of the nineteenth century. Here came successive governors of the Commonwealth. Here came her cousin Ralph Waldo Emerson in the zenith of his fame, as a thinker and an exponent of the higher ideals; Rufus Choate, the unique and fascinating orator; Henry Ward Beecher, of national fame, eminent in many fields; Wendell Phillips, with whom her husband was in full sympathy in the anti-slavery struggle. And in later years Lucius Manlius had the satisfaction of seeing these two men congratulate themselves and the country on the success of their persistent labor. Here came also Oliver Wendell Holmes with his inimitable sallies of wit and pathos. In short, as said by a friend, "the first literary and political figures of that generation were entertained in that fine old pillared house under the shadow of Amherst College." In the social hours by the Boltwood fireside this intensely interesting group discussed on the broadest scale everything pertaining to theology, legal lore, or the wrongs of humanity. Good was praised, the bad unhesitatingly censured, and plans for the betterment of the world were formulated; all of which was open to the eager and receptive mind of the boyish listener. We may add to the circle the Faculty of Amherst College, including men of international reputation, not the least among them being a brother of the hostess, Charles Upham Shepard, the distinguished mineralogist, who was complimented by Sir Robert Peel, at a public dinner in England, as the first authority in the world upon meteorites.

In this hospitable home upon the hill, Madam Fanny Boltwood reigned supreme, with method and kindness. She was the life and light of husband and home, guiding domestic affairs and rearing her children. Friends and strangers were alike welcome to her hospitable board. She was also the stay of the household in the days of their deepest sorrow, as one by one their children passed beyond the veil. Mrs. Boltwood died April 25, 1888, sincerely mourned by a community in which she had been an active, useful, and loving member for more than three score years. Her husband had died July 10, 1872. After the death of Mrs. Fanny Boltwood, the fine old mansion passed into the hands of Amherst College. It was named "Hitchcock Hall," in honor of her distinguished President, who for years, in the long past, had been a weekly visitor within its hospitable walls.

VII. Lucius Manlius, the oldest child of Lucius and Fanny H., was born June 8, 1825, in the home of his grandmother Shepard. It is useless to ask was he more influenced by environment or heredity; both conspired in his favor and were equally potent. He was

the first grandchild, and naturally he was a favorite of his loving grandmother and proud aunts. The Shepards, as has been said, were a family of note, very conservative, but refined and intellectual by inheritance; and young Lucius was largely under their influence in the formative period. Here, as well as in the elevating home of his parents, he came in contact with men and women of stirling worth. What better opportunities could be desired! One has said, referring to the Boltwood mansion, "The influence of this stately and delightful home made Lucius Manlius, while a youth, a person of fine bearing, with a certain air of distinction; * * his personal traits were courtesy, cordiality, a winning address, and an interest in each one with whom he spoke, * * the lowly as well as the well-born."

While a mere boy, he had been largely diverted from the usual boyhood life. He was the first born, and became the only survivor of four children who left him one by one. It is a pathetic figure which we see, a boy with a scarf of black crape tied about his arm, as was the custom of the time, himself expecting soon to follow his brothers and sister, keeping aloof from his mates and shrinking from observation. But rebounding from his unusual sorrows, he again joined in the social sports of his mates, running, ball-playing and swimming in summer, and skating in winter, in all of which he excelled. Before all others he chose the companionship of his father and mother, and this intimacy continued to the last. It is said that "filial reverence and the confidential relationship existing between the son and his father and mother was a remarkable characteristic" of Lucius Manlius. On his father's grounds was a garden and an orchard, and the young man devoted much time to the cultivation and improvement of the trees, with a notable result in the quality and yield of the fruit. Many a choice basket he was able to serve for distinguished guests of the family. Through his love of horticulture he became affiliated with the Hampshire and Franklin Agricultural Society, and in later years served as its secretary. His father and his aunts often took the boy on long journeys, and his delight on seeing the beauties of nature, and his adventures on the road or in the towns which he visited, made a life-long impression which in later years he was wont to recall for his own pleasure or that of his family.

At the age of seven, he began school life at Miss Sellon's school, and in 1834 he attended the Manual Labor School of Hon. Rodolphus B. Hubbard. Then followed academic training at the local Academy until 1839, when he entered Amherst College at the age of fourteen. His college life was uneventful. He obtained more than the usual amount of college honors. He joined the "Church of Christ in Amherst College," and had no connection with any other. He was graduated Aug. 10, 1843. After teaching school at the Academy in New Britain, Conn., in the winter of 1844,

he set himself seriously to reading law, inclining to follow the profession of his father. But probably by the advice of his maternal relatives he turned his mind to theology. He left home for the Andover Theological Seminary, Oct. 23, 1844. His closing thesis for the year 1845 was on "The interference of parties with private action one of the most weighty objections against them." The next year he would be a voter, and the subject of parties and party allegiance was upon him. His second year in the study of theology was spent in the Theological Institute of Connecticut, at East Windsor. He closed his connection there, Aug. 27, 1846, by speaking on "The Fathers of New England."

Lucius Manlius had inherited from both father and mother a taste for history and genealogy; his mother especially appears to have been one of those rare treasures to the antiquary, one whose mind was a well filled store-house of anecdotes and dates, perfectly reliable, and always ready for use. The youth became early interested in these studies, but more particularly in genealogy; he began an active correspondence with Sylvester Judd, which ended only with the death of the historian. There had been no intermittance in his interest in these subjects while at Andover or in Connecticut, and he did valuable work in both places, as the pages of the REGISTER will bear witness. Oct. 7, 1846, he was elected a Corresponding Member of the New-England Historic Genealogical Society, and when on his way to Andover, for a third year in theologic study, he stopped in Boston. From his diary, which he kept from 1845 for a few years, we read under date of Oct. 20, 1846:—

"I visited during the day the Genealogical Rooms and found Mr. Drake very polite. This gentleman keeps the Antiquarian Bookstore on Cornhill, is Corresponding Secretary of the New-England Historic Genealogical Society. This is a young Society, having been incorporated by the Legislature a little more than a year ago. Its object is to investigate the early history of New England and New England settlers. I also called at the rooms of the Massachusetts Historical Society in Tremont Street and presented the letter handed me by Rev. Mr. Tyler for Rev. Mr. Felt, the Librarian of the Society. Mr. Felt was very cordial and gave me liberty of consulting any of the books I might see fit. In the evening I called on Mr. Isaac F. Shepard, Esq., a gentleman with whom I had previously corresponded regarding the early settlers of New England bearing the name of Shepard. I found him very pleasant. He invited me to call again and take dinner, tea, or pass the night according as it might suit my convenience." After another call upon Mr. Drake at his bookstore, Mr. Boltwood left Boston for Andover. We may infer that his heart was as much set upon history and genealogy as upon theology. This is discernible all along. At his graduation from Andover, Sept. 1, 1847, he chose to speak of "The Early Preachers of New England." Sept. 11, he left Amherst with

his father on a two months' tour to Michigan. He had been licensed to preach by the Andover Association, and he preached nearly every Sunday while absent. Returning to Amherst he now became an important inmate of the home; his study was carefully guarded by his mother from interruptions by the brood of young brothers and cousins, and from all these he generally held himself aloof, devoting himself earnestly to his profession, finding recreation in the orchard and garden. In his father's absence he took his place in the family. For several years he remained at home. Amherst was a centre of supply for the roundabout towns, and he was often called to occupy temporarily vacant pulpits. He was twenty-two years old, slender in form, dignified in movement, with smooth face, light hair and fair complexion. "Squire Boltwood's son" often surprised his congregation by his satisfactory service. He had several eligible calls to settle, but declined all, and was never ordained. It is said that "in his own judgment of himself at maturity he was not sure that he was adapted to that part of the ministerial office." I suppose the truth is, as a mutual friend has recently said, "he was a born genealogist," and thenceforth his devotion to that science was unremitting, and all other occupations were only subsidiary.

In 1852 he was made Corresponding Member of the New York Historical Society. In 1852 the committee in charge of the Amherst College library felt the need of a guiding hand there, and finding in Mr. Boltwood "a young man eminently qualified by his peculiar tastes, talents, and acquirements" for that service, he was appointed librarian by the trustees, and duly installed. Here he was in his native element; here his mental make-up and systematic mind had free scope. He found the library of little value to professors and students through need of care; he left it vitalized and in all respects what a college library should be. In 1856 he was made Corresponding Member of the Connecticut Historical Society, and from 1868 to 1872 he was the Recording Secretary of that Society. In 1858 he was made Honorary Member of the Vermont Historical Society, and in 1859 of the New Hampshire Historical Society. He was state senator in 1860, serving on the Educational Committee, and was chairman of the Committee on the Library. A Senator said of him, "He takes to law-making quite readily, always considering a proposition carefully before voting upon it. He is not one of the talking members, another evidence that he will make a good legislator." From 1861 to 1865 he was the postmaster at Amherst, under the appointment of President Lincoln.

On the death of Sylvester Judd, in 1860, while his History of Hadley was in the press, Mr. Boltwood took up the work, and, adding his own collections to the unorganized material left by Mr. Judd, he edited and carried through the Genealogical department of the History, which is considered an authority and is of rare value.

In 1867 he went to Washington, D. C., to act as assistant librarian under the noted A. R. Spofford. His work was wholly in cataloguing books. Mr. Spofford says, "His information in matters of history (especially in local American history), biography and genealogy was remarkably extensive and there seemed to be no limit to his personal interest in all inquiries connected with these subjects"; he was noted for his "indefatigable industry." At the end of a year, he was offered the position of librarian of the Young Men's Institute at Hartford, and he returned north largely induced by the desire to be near his parents. He retained this office from 1868 to 1875. His successor in the office "found a great deal of his work, all done with the same exquisite neatness and precision, that I could never hope to equal. He was by nature a classifier and cataloguer." In 1873 he superintended the publication of its catalogue of 20,000 volumes. "The patience and accuracy required in this profession had been to a large extent developed by his genealogical studies, the work he really loved best, and in which he had attained to the greatest eminence"; he knew the inside of books as well as the outside; "he made no display of knowledge, but he had it." This was a circulating library, and other qualifications than zeal and intelligence were called for; these were not found wanting. The frequenters of the library always found Mr. Boltwood courteous and patient when these virtues were often severely tried; he was ever ready to give information, and apt in illustrating his statements with some personal anecdote calculated to fix it in the memory.

In 1876, Mr. Boltwood was invited to become a Fellow of the Royal Historical Society of Great Britain. In 1878 he published his most notable work, the "History and Genealogy of the Noble Family in America," a volume of 870 pages. This contains the results of a most faithful research extending over more than thirty years.

In 1879, Mr. Boltwood removed to New Haven, where in Yale University he preferred to give his sons a classical and legal education. About this time the care of the large landed estate of his father in Michigan fell upon him. These lands had been neglected until there was confusion in claim and title. In the litigation which followed, he was found to be a keen man of business; his early training in law came in full play; his habits of patient investigation proved invaluable in bringing the tangle into order, and establishing his claims and title. His character for integrity and honesty of purpose came to be recognized in Michigan, as it had long been in New England, where he was considered a man with high ideals of life and consistent endeavor to hew close to the straight line of duty as he saw it marked out. One who made the acquaintance of Mr. Boltwood late in life says, "I never knew a man who believed what he believed, and thought what he thought with the intense

and perfect confidence of Mr. Boltwood. The most marked trait of his character was his intenseness." Another says of him, "he had a ruggedness, a strength of mind, a mental grip on things" which were admirable. If he did not approve of the conduct of others, he was free to express his disapproval, "but his criticisms were always of the act, and not of the individual." He disliked shams and pretentions. What he demanded was absolute truth, absolute right. One looked upon Mr. Boltwood as a type of the New England Puritans and their immediate descendants, who were "the strongest characters in the history of mankind" which puts him "as high in my estimation as I can express it. * * * he stands in my memory as a quaint and strong character, the like of which I shall not meet again."

In politics Mr. Boltwood appears as an independent thinker, accepting new ideas and advocating modern reforms, regardless of old party ties. In theology the old Puritan creed, instilled in youth, lay at the foundation; but he was so far non-sectarian that he saw good in all sects, and affiliated in worshiping with Episcopalians whenever in locality it best suited his convenience. In religion he was intensely conservative; he set his face like flint against the liberating influences of the day; the advancing wave of free thought broke upon him as a ripple upon a rock. To him every tradition of the Bible was sacred. Any criticism upon it was sacrilege. Any deductions of science which cast a shadow on its pages were to him as naught. But he had the rare virtue of silence with regard to the religious belief of others. He is called by one who knew him best a very faithful "religious Christian Gentleman." He lived a good life, giving of himself and his means, so far as able, for the good of others.

It has been said by another, "he who walks through life with an even temper and a gentle patience, patient with himself, patient with others, patient with difficulties and crosses, has an every day greatness beyond that which is won in battle or chanted in cathedrals." These words fittingly describe his daily living. Very prominent among the characteristics of our friend was the happy combination of an independent spirit, a clear and contented mind, and utter devotion to his home circle. And there he reached the climax of a successful career: the companionship of the wife of his choice, and five fine, healthy children of promise, in which promise there was no disappointment.

In person Mr. Boltwood was five feet ten inches, strongly built and finely proportioned; his head, with a high forehead, was firmly set on broad shoulders; his hair was light brown, his eyes blue, earnest and piercing, and he read without spectacles. In habit he was temperate, eschewing all exhilarating drinks; pure water was his constant beverage. He found no use for tobacco in any form. He continued erect, and bore his years with a suppleness and grace in-

duced largely by habitual out-of-door exercise. For forty years he wore a full beard, with which he dispensed in the last year of his life. His memory was surprising; he could recall at will every incident of his life, and, what can be said of few at his age, he could always recall names and faces at once.

It was in 1895 that Mr. Boltwood removed with his family to Grand Rapids, where his three sons were in practice as lawyers under the firm of Boltwood & Boltwood. Here he continued his business and favorite studies, spending much time in reading, and never forgetting his walk of two or three miles every day. In 1900, he was made a Corresponding Member of the Old Colony Historical Society, and the same year called upon his friends in Massachusetts.

In November, 1904, he made another journey to his native town and other places where he had resided with unusual enjoyment. During his absence he was taken very ill, but lived one month after reaching home, where he entered into rest, February 28, 1905. At his request, his children placed him in the family burial-lot in Amherst, March 4. This was the first break in the family circle. His loss is deeply felt, and he is sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Boltwood and all their children live at Grand Rapids.

He leaves a large historic genealogic library, and an immense mass of manuscript on the genealogy of New England families. To the very last he constantly added to his large store of matter for the continuation of the Genealogy of Hadley Families. To that end his note book was constantly in evidence during his last visit to Massachusetts. It is to be hoped that this additional matter will reach the public in some form.

Mr. Boltwood married, June 6, 1860, Clarinda Boardman, daughter of Hinckley and Elvira Armenius (Wright) Williams, of Goshen, Mass., born Aug. 31, 1836. She was indeed a helpmeet peculiarly fitted to his temperament and occupations; with literary taste and ability, combined with the faculty of wise management in the domestic department; and we may be sure that she did her full share in the care and training of their children. In this home, with the tender love of a devoted wife and the filial obedience of his children, Mr. Boltwood found his delightful haven of rest and happiness. Here he reigned; a gentle autocrat, with cheerfulness, kindness, and love; "a model husband and father." He was fond of good stories, and when on his journeyings he picked up the best for family use on his return; as also pictures of the most interesting localities he had visited. The devotion of these parents to their children knew no bounds; with but limited means at their disposal, no sacrifice was considered too costly in giving them all a liberal education. Mr. Boltwood's life with his wife was close and absolutely confidential. Letters were exchanged every day when sepa-

rated. A heavy cloud now overshadows and darkens this household, but the sunshine of the past must always linger upon the vacant chair.

The children of Lucius Manlius and Clarinda Boardman (Williams) are: George Shepard, born in Amherst, March 2, 1861, graduate of Yale University 1882, Yale Law School 1885; Lucius, born in Amherst, July 27, 1862, Yale 1883, Law School 1886; Charles Wright, born in Washington. D.C., December 6, 1867, Yale 1890, Law School 1892; Fanny Haskins, born in Hartford, February 27, 1870, student Wellesley College 1889–1891; Elvira Wright, born in Hartford, July 9, 1872, student in music Vassar College 1891–92, Kindergarten Training School, Grand Rapids, 1901.

DIARY OF SERGEANT JOHN BURRELL, 1759–1760.

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THE following extracts are from a fragment of a Diary kept by Sergt. John Burrell of Abington, Mass., when in Capt. Moses Parker's Company, at St. John, New Brunswick, in the French and Indian War, 1759–1760, now in the possession of his great-granddaughter Abby Frances Burrell Horton, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Sergt. John[3] Burrell was son of John[2] and Mary (Humphrey) Burrell of Weymouth and Abington, and grandson of John[1] and Rebekah ( ) Burrell of Weymouth, Mass.

August ye 3 Fryday 1759. Saturday 4 Capt Garash came from Annaploss. Sunday 5 Our armes & amonishon all receveed this day at Saint Johns. Monday 6 maid a Fitualling return alfebietakel to ye Comisory. Saturday 11 Capt Garash, Lewtt Hutchens, Lewtt Clapt, Lewt Demming, Lewtt Foster & ye Cornel Aburthnet: with 75 men bye ye River this Day with ye Commisoner. Wednesday 15th Our Cornell & 2 vessels come home this night with his Batl. Thursday 16th ye whole party all come back well & Brought two Scourners & a grate deal of plunder. Fryday 17th Brought ye vessels to anker this day & had a frollek [frolic]. Sonday 26th Ensn. Pike with a party of men went to hallafax with one of ye Scourners in order to have condemend. Thursday 30 August Fryday 30th we kiled a Bare a swiming acrost ye River. Our Cornel went to annapoless with ye Scourner this night. Tuesday [September] 4th ye Cornel Came back from Annaples all well. Wednesday 5th our Cornel with two Captens & three Lewts & two Ensn about 85 men went bye ye River this night. Tuesday 11th ye Cornel Returned with ye party of ye scots up the River brought but a little Plunder for they were beat by ye enemy fireing upon ye party as they were in a small creek & kield Ensn Tirrell & Corporall Shelden, John Ells, Eleser Peks & Elishu Randell,

Total 5, & wounded at ye same time Lewt. Foster, Leonerd Commins, Isaac Palmer, Vine Turner, Ebenezer Kers, Solomon Maker and Isaac Torrey Total 7—all of Capt Parker's Company & one man of Capt Garrashs This day ye 8 instant of September. Monday 17th a grate raine that washed ye part of ye Fort that it fell down a grate part of ye same. Tuesday 18th ye Fort keeping still falling down. Fryday 20th Bige Scourner went to Halafax with ye Comisory. Saturday 22nd Vine Turner Died being wounded ye 8th instant. Sunday 23 Vine Turner burred. Saturday 29th ye lettle Scouner Come from Hallafax all well Brought Mr. Corbett a letter. Sonday 30th a white mors came Down one ye Pint & we fired on. Monday ye 1st day of October Drew Lowances for seven days victualling Returns to ye Cornelf or 28 days. Fryday ye 5th Leannard Commens died with ye wound ye enemy gave him ye 8 of September, he lived four weeks after his body was shott thrue with a ball wanting one day of it To ye amasement of us all. Tuesday ye 9th vandued ye plunder that was Brought Down ye River. Fryday 12th two vessels Come into this place from Boston and one grate Scouner. Tuesday ye 16th Isaac Palmer dyed. Wednesday 17th A Cold storm & it snowed a little ye wind blue. Thursday 18th three French men come in with a Flag of truse & Brought nuse that Quebeck is ours & offers to Resine themselves to ye English Nasion Quebeck given bye ye 17th of September. Fryday 19 ye Cornel went to Annoples & one of ye Frenchmen with ye lettle Snow. Tuesday ye 23 of October 1759 Our Cornel Come from Annoples. Wednesday 24th a party went bye ye ye of Saint Johns two Capts three Lewt and one Ensn & three Sarjan & three Corprals 81 privates & ye Cornel & Doctor & one vessel that came from Annaples. Wednesday ye 31st Drue amonishon this last day of our Ienlistment. Saturday [November] 3d a hard rain. Sonday ye 4th ye wind Blue & a hYg Tide that washed ye stores or Blue it to Peases that some of ye Provisions fell out into the Tide this Day. Lewtt Hutchin Come Back & brought nuse ye French ware all coming in as fast as they could. Monday ye 5th one family of ye French Came into ye Fort. Tuesday ye 6th Capt. Garash come home with one Battoo, all well. Wednesday ye 7th ye Cornel & all ye party come home and Brought about thirty famileys of ye French women & Children. Sonday ye 11th ye wounded went home Mr. Spalden & Capt Garash total 4. Monday ye 12th ye Indians came into the Fort about 15 of them, a vitualling role to ye Cornel Tuesday 13th aboute 20 more Indians come in & Drew Lowances ye Preast himself come in. Monday ye 19th Capt. Garash Brought ye Grate Scouner to this place. Tuesday 20th one Scouner come from Annapales and brought Provisions for ye Garrison. Saturday ye 24th I went to see the other mash one ye west side of ye Fort. Sonday ye 26 John Boston & John Boutell come home. Monday ye 10th of December Mr. Bryon & Mr Camball went home to Nue England. Fryday 21st One Sloop come from Boston and brought some stores. Monday ye 24th ye Sloop went off. Tuesday ye 25 Crismass Day. Sonday ye 30th I've got a bad Cold. Tusday Janawary ye 1st day of ye year 1760 three Indians fell over Bord & Drowned one lettle Boye got a shoure. Wednesday ye 2nd ye free frolik. Fryday ye 4th ye little Scourner went home as we supose to Nue England John Munfell for one. Sonday ye 6th Capt Cammall come & Brought some perfectt nuse. Wednesday ye 16th Reseved a letter from my wif Date July ye 15th 1759. Thirsday ye 17th One Scourner Come in from Halafax & Brought ye Comisory Green to this place.

Tusday ye 22d Day of Janawary 1760 Between 10 & 11 o'clock at night a Commet was seen to fall in ye north west & a noyes was heard Like to 3 cannon Destink. Sonday ye 27 our Col. went a Bord in order for Halafax with part of ye french men. Monday ye 28th ye womer & children went a Bord this Day. Tusday ye 29th they set Sail. Wednesday [February] ye 13 our Capt. Parker went up to Bobares Fort & a party. Thirsday ye 14th ye Sarj. Treat. Fryday ye 15th Capt. Parker come home. Monday ye 18th maid a vitualing Role & all ye soldiers were revewed to Day. Thirsday ye 21 Capt. Parker went up to Babare Fort a fishing. Fryday ye 29 Leape yeare 1760. Wednesday [March] ye 12 ye Cornel came from Halafax & all that went with him two familes of ye French come from Quebec. Sonday 16th Capt. Sanders come in. Monday ye 17th Capt. Cobb & Capt. Sanders went out of this harbor & our Col. & Capt. Parker to Pasamaquody with ye Indians. Wednesday ye 19th two vessels came here & Mr. Marten. Thirsday ye 20 ye Col. from Passamaquody with Capt. Cobb. Sonday ye 23d a Snow storm we all Receved 4 pds Bounty of Col. Arbuthnott. Wednesday [April] ye 2 Capt Garash home. Thirsday ye 3d Capt. Cobb sailed. Sonday ye 6th Capt Graues home. Fryday ye 11th Capt. Gay & Capt. Russell went out this day. Monday ye 13th Left home one year. Wednesday ye 16th Delivered ten tho' shingles. Tusday ye 22d finished 30 thou. of shingles. Wednesday ye 23 one Scouner from Boston. Sonday [May] ye 4th two vessels by to Comberton. Monday ye 5th a number of Capt. Garashes men with some other Desarted on Bord of a Schowner. Tusday ye 13th, 30 of our Company went home in a Schouner to New England. Wednesday ye 14th set sail. Sonday ye 18th ye Indian King maid grate Pease. Wednesday ye 28th Election Day. Fryday ye 30 more Indians for pease. Sonday ye 1st day June 1760 This Day Receved a letter from Daniel Noyes & Noah Pratt by Capt Curtiss. Monday ye 2d a Grate number of Indians came in from Passamaquody. Fryday ye 6th Capt Hart Casel come & we finished of 63 thousand of H shingles & ye Col. paid us 173–5. Saterday ye 7th mounted guard to day. Sonday ye 8th Rote a Leater home. Tusday ye 10th Delivered to Capt Moses Curtiss one Doble Loom for to convey ye same to my wife at Abington 36 pd. old told. Fryday ye 13th Capt Tomson went out of this place of Capt Curtiss. Saturday ye 28th ye Grate King of ye Indians Came into ye Garrison for to make a Grate peace with ye English. Sonday ye 29th ye Enggener Eare come here to Build a fort here. Tusday ye 1st of July 1760 one vessel. Thirsday ye 3d Sarjt Buterfield went to Hallafax with three Indians & Mr. McCarthy. Monday ye 7th Capt Mayners & Liut Deming with about 59 men for this fort in one sloupe. Wednesday ye 9th we left Saint Johns & sat out for Anapoless. Thirsday ye 10th gott into Anapoless. Fryday ye 11th all Day at anapoless Satarday ye 12th halled down to ye Basin & tarred all night. Tusday ye 15th we left ye Basen 12 o'clock & sat for Boston & have a fine wind all day & all night. Fryday ye 18th a hard wind & we got into Casco bay harbor at night. Saturday ye 19th sat out for Boston & had a small wind all Day ye 20th. Monday ye 21st Left Cap Ann & put away for Boston had a South East wind & we gott into Boston at night. Son Seting, Tusaday ye 22d came to Hingam & went as far as Grandfathers Humphres at night. Wednesday ye 23 went home & found my family well as I left them.

THE DESCENDANTS OF CAPTAIN RICHARD OLMSTEAD, OF FAIRFIELD, CONN.*

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1. Capt. Richard[1] Olmstead was born in England, perhaps at Fairstead, Co. Essex, in 1608. His parentage has not been learned, but his "cousin" Nicholas[1] Olmstead, who is mentioned in his will, was a son of James Olmstead, of Cambridge, Mass., and Hartford, Conn., and was baptized at Fairstead, Feb. 15, 1612.

Richard Olmstead came to Fairfield about 1639, and probably settled in that part of the town which was incorporated into the town of Norwalk, in 1651. Fairfield originally embraced the territory which is now comprised in several towns, and extended so far north as to take in the present town of Redding, which was set off from it in 1677. His descendants became very numerous, and lived in nearly every town in the county. The records of many of these towns are very incomplete, and much material has been collected relating to this family which could not be used in this article on account of missing evidences of the proper connection.

So far as is known, Capt. Richard had but two children, James and John, but with him came one Nehemiah Olmstead, presumed to have been his brother, who died leaving an only daughter, Sarah. James Olmstead, of Cambridge and Hartford, also had a son named Nehemiah.

No record of the marriages of Capt. Richard has been found. He had large grants of land in Fairfield, which then embraced a considerable territory, and some of his lands were included in what were known as the "Long lots," which were narrow strips of land running from the coast line back some six or seven miles. The north line of these lots was in about the centre of the present town of Redding, and thus his heirs came into possession of lands at Chestnut Hill and Buckingham Ridge. He also had large grants in Norwalk after its incorporation, the record of his first grant being found on page i. of Vol. 1, Norwalk Land Records.

The original of his will, dated Sept. 5, 1684, is on file at Fairfield, but the seal is so nearly obliterated that no copy of it can be made. It is also recorded in Book III, page 217, Fairfield Probate Records. The following is an abstract:

I Richard Olmstead, of the towne of Norwake in ye County of ffairfield in ye Collony of Connecticut, aged Seventy-six years or therabouts.

Unto my sonn John my present dwelling house, houseing, barne, hom lott, orchard, to be to him . . . unless my sonn James shall acord to A writing underhand make exchange of ye present house and homestead with ye s^d John within A year and one day.

To my Eldest sonn James Olmstead my fruitfull springlott of meddow, to be to him and to his heirs, . . . also my cowlott of upland, also three acres of plowing land at Sacatuke Plaine, to be added to ye side of what he ther alreddy possessed of, moreover one acre of my fruitfull springlott of upland next my pasture lott.

To my sonn John Olmstead one acre of land in my fruitfull springlott to be added to that which is now his and also ye lott called pine hill lott, also ye remainder of Sacatuche lott after James hath received his three acres.

*This genealogy has been compiled entirely from original records and documents in Fairfield County, Conn. No reference has been had to any printed work. The compiler has quite a collection of evidences from land records in the towns of Fairfield County, and also quite a collection of data relating to later generations of this interesting family.

My lott called the house lott all the aforesaid parcels of land I doe give and bequeth unto my sonn John.

To my two sons James and John my meddow lott on ye other side of Norwake River, which shall be equally divided croswise, . . . and to my sonns James and John all my meddow lying in ye great marsh, to each of them an equal share as near as it can be divided. . . . Moreover unto my sonns James and John my lott called Agratuity lott, lying upon ye hill on ye other side of ye river by the land of Thomas Benedict Senr., also my lott at Stickly Playne and my lott yt lyeth above ye Sawmill, some sixty acres of land granted me by ye Gene^ll Court, also, all my right of lands at Pequoiag.

A legacy of my love unto my Cousen Nicholas Olmstead, of Hartford, the sum of twenty shillings, . . . also, unto my Cousen Bazles, his two daughters Elizabeth Pecke and Lydia Baker to each of them the sum of twenty shillings.

Unto Samuel Smith ye bedd yt was my last wives, alsoe one pillow and ye blew rugg and ye great chest yt was my wives.

My two sonns James and John to be sole and joynt executors and administrators, . . . and my trusted and beloved ffriend Squire John Platt to be overseer.

No record of his death or of the births of his sons is found at Fairfield. Children:

2. i. JAMES,[3] b. about 1645–8.
3. ii. JOHN, b. about 1650.

2. LIEUT. JAMES[2] OLMSTEAD (*Richard*[1]) was born perhaps in Fairfield, Conn., before 1650. At the time of his marriage, and for many years prior to 1700, he held the office of Commissioner of Deeds at Norwalk. He married in Norwalk, May 1, 1673, Phebe Barlow of Norwalk, and died there in May or June, 1731. His will, dated Apr. 28, 1731, proved in Fairfield, June 12, 1731, gives to wife Phebe "all ye Real Estate which I am this day possessed of," which his sons Joseph and John were to have at their mother's decease. It adds, "My son Nathan, now deceased, has had his full portion of my estate."

His sons James and Samuel are not mentioned, and they probably died young.

Children, recorded in Norwalk:

i. JAMES,[3] b. Aug. 17, 1675.
ii. JOSEPH, b. Mar. 10, 1676–7; living in 1731; probably married and had a family.
4. iii. NATHAN, b. Apr. 27, 1678.
iv. SAMUEL, b. May 13, 1683.
5. v. JOHN, b. Aug. 14, 1692.

3. LIEUT. JOHN[2] OLMSTEAD (*Richard*[1]), perhaps born at Fairfield, about 1650, married first, July 17, 1673, Mary, daughter of Thomas Benedict of Norwalk; and married second, Elizabeth, widow of Thomas Gregory. No record of his marriages, the death of his first wife, or the births of his children, has been found. It is probable that his first wife died soon after the birth of his daughter Eunice, and that Elizabeth was the first child of the second wife. He died in Dec., 1704. His will does not appear on record, but an inventory of his estate was presented by the widow Elizabeth, Dec. 22, 1704, and in this inventory the names of the children appear with approximate ages; but the ages as given are not correct, as for example, the age of Mary is stated as about 18 years, while the

records show that she had been married eight years at the time the inventory was made. The ages undoubtedly do indicate, however, the order of birth. The record of distribution, in Fairfield Probate Records, dated Apr. 17, 1705, shows that the widow Elizabeth was formerly the wife of Thomas Gregory. The others sharing in the estate were Daniel Olmstead, eldest son, Thomas Reed, Benjamin Wilson, Anna Olmstead, Jonathan Abbott, Samuel St. John, Richard Olmstead, John Olmstead, Elizabeth Olmstead, Eunice Olmstead, Deborah Olmstead, and Abigail Olmstead. A Joseph is mentioned, but whether Joseph St. John or not does not fully appear, as the language is rather ambiguous.

Children by first wife:

6. i. MARY,[3] b. about 1675.
   ii. JANE, b. about 1677; probably m. Benjamin Wilson.
7. iii. SARAH, b. about 1679.
   iv. REBECCA, b. about 1681: probably m. Samuel St. John.
8. v. DANIEL, b. about 1683.
   vi. RICHARD, b. about 1685.
   vii. EUNICE, b. about 1687; probably m. Joseph St. John.

Children by second wife:

9. viii. ELIZABETH, b. about 1690.
   ix. DEBORAH, b. about 1693.
   x. ABIGAIL, b. about 1696.
   xi. ANNA, b. about 1698.
10. xii. JOHN, b. about 1700.

4. NATHAN[3] OLMSTEAD (*James,*[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Norwalk, Conn., Apr. 27, 1678, married, Dec. 17, 1702, Sarah, daughter of Ralph Keeler of Norwalk, as shown in the will of Ralph.

Nathan died in Norwalk, Jan., 1716/17. The inventory of his estate, presented to the Probate Court in Fairfield, Jan. 12, 1716–17, by the widow Sarah, names children: Nathan aged 13, Samuel aged 10, James aged 8, Mary aged 6, Hannah aged 4, and Lydia aged 1 year last May.

Feb. 2, 1725/6, Samuel and James, sons of Nathan Olmstead, late of Norwalk, chose their uncle Moses Comstock as their guardian; and Oct. 14, 1757, they discharged their uncle Moses Comstock of Norwalk "from all the cares and concerns yt he did take of us" (Fairfield Probate Records).

Sept. 6, 1727, Mary, Hannah, and Lydia, daughters of Nathan Olmstead, late of Norwalk, chose their brother Samuel Olmstead as their guardian.

Children:

   i. NATHAN,[4] b. in Norwalk, Dec. 4, 1703; probably m. before 1727. Nothing has been learned about his family. In 1727, Oliver Arnold, a minor, of Norwalk, chose him as his guardian.
11. ii. SAMUEL, b. 1706.
   iii. JAMES, b. 1708; living in 1750. In 1748 he was on the bond of Hezekiah Deforest, Guardian of the children of David Deforest late of Norwalk. In 1750 he was one of the committee appointed by the Probate Court to make a division of the estate of Joseph Rockwell, late of Norwalk, among his heirs. Nothing has been learned about his family.
   iv. MARY, b. 1710.
   v. HANNAH, b. 1712.
12. vi. LYDIA, b. May, 1716.

5. JOHN[3] OLMSTEAD (*James,*[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Norwalk, Conn., Aug. 14, 1692, married, Feb. 29, 1717/18, Mary, daughter of "Robert Small, transient, sometime of Norwalk." He died in Norwalk, Oct., 1748; and Nov. 1, 1748, Gardner and Reuben Olmstead, of Norwalk, were appointed administrators of his estate.

Apr. 4, 1749, Nehemiah Gruman, of Norwalk, was appointed guardian of John Olmstead; and on the same date, Reuben Olmstead was appointed guardian of his younger brothers, Ichabod and Justice.

Jan. 12, 1748/9, in a distribution of the estate of John Olmstead, late of Norwalk, the following children are named: Sylvanus, Phebe the wife of Gardner Olmstead, Reuben, David, James, John, Ichabod, and Justice. It appears that the son recorded as Small was afterward called James.

Children:

i. SYLVANUS,[4] b. Nov. 25, 1718.
ii. PHEBE, b. Aug. 5, 1720; m. Gardner Olmstead.
13. iii. REUBEN, b. Apr. 5, 1722.
iv. DAVID, b. Feb. 6, 1724-5.
v. SMALL (JAMES), b. Mar. 2, 1727-8.
vi. JOHN, b. Mar. 29, 1729.
vii. ICHABOD, b. June 14, 1733.
viii. JUSTICE.

6. MARY[3] OLMSTEAD (*John,*[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Fairfield, Conn., about 1675, married, May 9, 1694, Thomas Reed of Norwalk.

Children, recorded in Norwalk:

i. MARY REED, b. May 2, 1695.
ii. EUNICE REED, b. Feb. 26, 1696-7.
iii. THOMAS REED, b. May 7, 1699.
iv. JOHN REED, b. Aug. 7, 1701.
v. ELIZABETH REED, b. Oct. 7, 1703.
vi. ANN REED, b. July 6, 1706; d. Feb. 9, 1709-10.
vii. TEMPERANCE REED, b. Oct. 16, 1708.
viii. ELIAS REED, b. Mar. 10, 1711.
ix. NATHAN REED, b. Aug. 13, 1713.

7. SARAH[3] OLMSTEAD (*John,*[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Fairfield, Conn., about 1678 or 1679, married, June 5, 1696, Jonathan Abbott of Norfolk.

Children, recorded in Norwalk:

i. JONATHAN ABBOTT, b. Apr. 6, 1697.
ii. SARAH ABBOTT, b. June 16, 1699.
iii. EUNICE ABBOTT, b. Jan. 23, 1702.
iv. MARY ABBOTT, b. July 8, 1704.
v. DEBORAH ABBOTT, b. Dec. 3, 1707.
vi. KEZIAH ABBOTT, b. Apr. 17, 1711.
vii. SAMUEL ABBOTT, b. Mar. 21, 1713-14.
viii. JANE ABBOTT, b. Oct. 5, 1716.
ix. MINDWELL ABBOTT, b. Dec. 21, 1718.

8. DANIEL[3] OLMSTEAD (*John,*[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Fairfield, Conn., about 1683, married Hannah, daughter of Joseph Ketcham of Norwalk, as shown in the settlement of Joseph's estate. He resided in Ridgefield, Conn. Nothing has been learned about his children.

9. ELIZABETH[3] OLMSTEAD (*John,*[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Fairfield, Conn., about 1690, married, June 14, 1710, Henry Whitney.

Child, recorded in Norwalk:

i. ELIZABETH WHITNEY, b. Aug. 24, 1711.

10. JOHN[3] OLMSTEAD (*John*,[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Fairfield, Conn., about 1700, married Mindwell ———, of Fairfield, who was born Sept. 8, 1696, and was admitted to the Church at Greenfield Hill, Conn., by letter from the First Church of Fairfield, Feb. 22, 1729/30. No. 49 in the Church record of deaths is Mindwell, wife of John Olmstead, but the date is not given. They probably lived in the north part of Fairfield, that part which later became Weston. No record of his death appears on the Church records. The baptisms of their children are found on Greenfield Church Records. Their children lived later in Weston, Redding, and Ridgefield.

In Fairfield Probate Records it appears that John Olmstead, of Fairfield, was chosen as guardian by Benjamin, son of Elijah Crane, deceased, in 1739, so his wife may have been of the Crane family.

Children:

i. MINDWELL,[4] bapt. Mar. 3, 1727–8; d. young.
ii. SARAH, bapt. May 25, 1729; d. young.
iii. JOHN, bapt. Oct. 10, 1731; probably m. Abigail Munson of Danbury, who was bapt. at New Haven, Nov. 6, 1739; lived in Ridgefield in 1768; had sons *John, Jr.*,[5] and *Elijah*, living in Weston in 1788, and *David* who lived in Ridgefield. (Redding Land Records, Vol. II, p. 39, and Vol. III, p. 403.)
iv. SARAH, bapt. Mar. 2, 1734–5; d. soon after her mother. Her death is No. 51 on the Greenfield Church Records, date not given.
v. MINDWELL, bapt. Feb. 17, 1708–9; d. soon after her mother, and just prior to the death of her sister Sarah. Her death is No. 50 on Greenfield Church Records.
vi. ELEAZER, bapt. Aug. 9, 1741; m. Jan. 17, 1765, Grace Pickett of Redding, Conn.; d. before 1769. (Redding Land Records, Vol. I, p. 144.) His widow m. (2) Ira Shephard of Redding. Redding Land Records, Vol. V, p. 419.) He left a son *Eleazer, Jr.*,[5] and a daughter *Polly*, who m. Nehemiah Seeley of Redding. (Redding Land Records, Vol. V, p. 419.)
vii. DANIEL, bapt. Aug. 19, 1744; d. Feb. 15, 1761.
viii. ELIJAH, b. May 10, bapt. July 13, 1755.
ix. JESSE, bapt. Sept. 24, 1758, aged 7 weeks.

11. SAMUEL[4] OLMSTEAD (*Nathan*,[3] *James*,[2] *Richard*[1]) was born in Norwalk, Conn., in 1706. He probably had a family, and lived to old age.

There were no less than five Samuel Olmsteads living in Norwalk at the same time, prior to 1800, known as Samuel, Samuel[2d], Samuel [3d], Samuel [4th], and Samuel [5th]. Three of these were nearly of the same age, and were married within a few years of each other. Nothing could be found on Norwalk Town Records to definitely fix the parentage of any of these.

Samuel [2d] married, Nov. 25, 1773, Anne Dunning of Norwalk, and had: *Samuel*, b. Dec. 17, 1774; *Sarah*, b. July 27, 1776; *Hannah*, b. Feb. 12, 1779; *Stephen*, b. Dec. 7, 1780; and *Noah*, b. Oct. 3, 1786.

Samuel [3d] married, Aug. 9, 1793, Betsey Disbrow of West Farms. (West Farms Church Records.)

Samuel [4th] married, Mar. 16, 1797, Rachel St. John of Norwalk, and had: *Marillus*, b. Oct. 15, 1797.

Samuel [8th] married, Nov. 12, 1795, Mercy, daughter of Rufus Keeler of Norwalk, and had: *Lewis*, b. Feb. 25, 1797; and *Rufus Keeler*, b. Oct, 27, 1799.

Perhaps one of these last two Samuels was son of Samuel [2d].

12. LYDIA[4] OLMSTEAD (*Nathan*,[3] *James*,[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Norwalk, Conn., May 1716, married in Norwalk, Dec. 7, 1738, as his second wife, Matthew Fitch. His first wife was Jemima St. John, who died at the birth of a daughter *Jemima*, Dec. 25, 1735.

Children, recorded in Norwalk:

i. NATHAN FITCH, b. Oct. 12, 1739.
ii. MERCY FITCH, b. Dec. 27, 1740.
iii. HANNAH FITCH, b. Aug. 24, 1742.
iv. MATTHEW FITCH, b. June 17, 1744.
v. LYDIA FITCH, b. Apr. 4, 1746.
vi. REBECCA FITCH, July 9, 1748.
vii. SUSANNAH FITCH, b. Aug. 29, 1750.

13. REUBEN[4] OLMSTEAD (*John*,[3] *James*,[2] *Richard*[1]), born in Norwalk, Conn., Apr. 5, 1722, married Anne ———, who was bapt. Apr. 11, 1727. A complete record of their children has not been obtained. They lived near Greenfield Hill, and their eldest children were baptized in Greenfield Church.

Children:

i. STEPHEN,[5] b. 1746, bapt. Apr. 4, 1747.
ii. PHEBE, bapt. June 13, 1748.
iii. A CHILD, b. 1750, bapt. in infancy.
iv. ANNE, b. 1754, bapt. July 7, 1754.
v. REUBEN, b. July 22, 1763, in Norwalk, Conn.; m. Nov. 18, 1784, Hannah Bass, who was b. Apr. 23, 1762; lived in Norwalk, where all of their children are recorded. Children: 1. *Charles*,[6] b. May 24, 1785. 2. *Betsey*, b. Jan. 20, 1788. 3. *Stephen*, b. June 10, 1790. 4. *Seth*, b. July 23, 1792. 5. *Esther*, b. Feb. 28, 1795.

RECORDS OF THE FIRST CHURCH AT BRAINTREE, MASS.

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5.	1.	1698/9	David, Elizabeth } twins of Dependence & Rebecca French.
			Samuel son of Nicholas & Rebecca Saltar.
12.	1.	"	Susanna daughter of John & Susanna Sanders.
19.	1.	"	Joseph son of Joseph & Susanna Ruggles.
26.	1.	1699.	Ruth daughter of Joseph & Mary Bass.
9.	2.	"	Ebenezer son of Wm & Mary Copeland.
30.	2.	"	Samuel " of Samuel & Mary Baxter.
"	"	"	David " of Nathaniel & Mary Speer.
28.	3.	"	John " of Nathaniel & Hannah Wales.
"	"	"	Joshua " of Jonathan & Hannah Howard.
4.	4.	"	Jonathan " of Nehemiah & Hannah Hayden.
11.	4.	"	John " of Nathaniel & Mary Owen.

2.	5.	1699.	Abigail daughter of Samuel & Mary Bagley..
16.	5.	"	William son of Samuel & Comfort Belcher.
6.	6.	"	Josiah, Thomas, Lydia, Mehitabel } children of Josiah & Mehitabel Faxon.
"	"	"	Joseph son of Ephraim & Sarah Thear.
13.	6.	"	Anne daughter of Anne Kent, widow, formerly Heyden.
20.	6.	"	Samuel son of Gregory & Rebecca Belcher.
27.	6.	"	Ruth daughter of Samuel & Sarah Nucum.
10.	7.	"	Martha " of Wm & Martha Field.
24.	7.	"	Elizabeth, Margaret } daughters of Josiah & Margaret Belcher.
29.	8.	"	Jonathan son of John & Hannah Mils.
17.	10.	"	David " of Benjamin & Susanna Webb.
11.	12.	99/1700.	Benjamin " of Samuel & Mary Baxter.
20.	12.	"	Moses " of Thomas & Elizabeth French.
10.	1.	"	Benjamin " of John & Deborah Payn.
17.	1.	"	Eleazer " of Eleazer & Rachel Isgate.
24.	1.	"	Ruth daughter of Joseph & Hannah Adams.
14.	2.	1700.	Thomas son of Thomas & Mary Copeland.
"	"	"	Abigail daughter of Roger & Sarah Billings.
21.	2.	"	Thomas Wells Adult admitted.
"	"	"	Joseph, Benjamin } twins of Joseph & Mary Right.
28.	2.	"	Dearing son of Ebenezer & Rachel Spear.
12.	3.	"	Edward " of Josiah & Mehitabel Faxon.
2.	4.	"	Isaac " of John & Elizabeth Nucum.
16.	4.	"	Moses " of Moses & Mary Payn.
"	"	"	Mary daughter of Wm & Martha Field.
30.	4.	"	Nathan son of Samuel & Rebecca Bass.
"	"	"	Samuel " of Samuel & Mary Bass.
"	"	"	Nathaniel " of Samuel & Comfort Belcher.
7.	5.	"	Samuel " of John & Hannah Cleverly.
28.	5.	"	Gideon " of Richard & Rebecca Thear.
18.	6.	"	Bethiah daughter of William & Hannah Thear.
29.	7.	"	Elizabeth Morrice (whose mother member of North Church, Boston).
20.	8.	"	Jonathan son of Benjamin & Lydia Neal.
"	"	"	David " of Benjamin & Ruth Nyle.
3.	9.	"	Abigail Copeland adult.
10.	9.	"	Samuel son of Samuel & Abigail Allen.
1.	10.	"	Josiah " of John & Mary Marshall.
22.	10.	"	Deborah daughter of Joseph & Deborah Bass.
22.	10.	"	Ebenezer, Ruth, Hannah, Rachel } children of Ebenezer & Ruth Thear.
29.	10.	"	Jonathan son of John & Huldah Baxter.
19.	11.	1700/1	Eleazer " of Ebenezer & Ruth Thear.
2.	12.	"	Abigail daughter of Samuel & Abigail Allen.
23.	12.	"	Jerusha " of Benjamin and Susanna Webb.
9.	1.	"	Sarah " of John & Sarah

6.	2.	1701.	Mary daughter of John & Susanna Saunders.
20.	2.	"	Shadrach son of Ephraim & Sarah Thair.
18.	3.	"	Joseph " of Nathaniel & Hannah Spear.
"	"	"	Mary daughter of Josiah & Mary Hobart.
8.	4.	"	Richard son of Jonathan & Elizabeth Hayden.
"	"	"	Mary daughter of Jonathan & Hannah Haward.
29.	4.	"	Joseph son of Joseph & Mary Neal.
3.	6.	"	Jonathan " of John & Anna Dyer.
"	"	"	Rebecca daughter of Nicholas & Rebecca Salter.
7.	7.	"	Jonathan son of Wm. & Mary Copeland.
5.	8.	"	Mary daughter of Samuel & Sarah Nucum.
19.	8.	"	Rachel " of Nathaniel & Hannah Wales.
7.	10.	"	Mary " of Symon & Hannah Bryant.
"	"	"	Hannah " of Samuel & Mary Right.
18.	11.	'01/2	Seth son of John & Deborah Payn.
25.	11.	"	John " of Joseph & Mary Bass.
22.	12.	"	Anna daughter of Samuel & Rebecca Bass.
1.	1.	"	Thomas son of Samuel & Mary Baxter.
8.	1.	"	Sarah daughter of Thomas & Mary Copeland.
8.	1.	"	Jonathan son of John & Hannah Mils.
22.	1.	1702.	Deborah daughter of Ebenezer & Ruth Thear.
12.	2.	"	Elizabeth " of Josiah & Mehitabel Faxon.
"	"	"	Ruth " of Gregory & Elizabeth Belcher.
"	"	"	Thomas son of John & Sarah Hooper.
3.	3.	"	Mary wife of Benjamin Staples.
"	"	"	Mercy daughter of Benjamin Staples.
"	"	"	Margaret Lynsford. Adult.
"	"	"	Benjamin son of Benjamin & Susanna Hobart.
7.	4.	"	Hulda daughter of John & Hulda Baxter.
14.	4.	"	Bethiah " of Joseph & Hannah Adams.
21.	4.	"	Jonathan son of Thomas & Elizabeth French.
5.	5.	"	Mary daughter of Samuel & Mary Bagley.
2.	6.	"	Samuel son of Francis Nash.
"	"	"	Sarah Durill. Widow.
6.	7.	"	Josiah son of Josiah & Rebecca Saunders.
13.	7.	"	John " of Benjamin & Mary Staples.
27.	7.	"	Mary daughter of John & Sarah Wilson.
"	"	"	Sarah, Jane, John } children of widow Duril.
"	"	"	Samuel her grand child.
4.	8.	"	Mehitabel daughter of Sam[l] & Elizabeth Speer.
11.	8.	"	Gersham son of Eliezer & Rachel Isgate.
"	"	"	Ebenezer " of John & Rebecca Bass.
18.	8.	"	Abigail wife of Benj. Hanks.
"	"	"	Abigail, Benjamin } their children.
25.	8.	1702.	Peter, Mary, Abigail, Hannah } Children of Peter & Mary Adams.
13.	10.	"	Debora daughter of Peter & Deborah Hobart.
29.	10.	"	Susana " of Joseph & Susanna Ruggles.

17.	11.	1702.	Sarah daughter of Sam[l] & Comfort Belcher.
"	"	"	Rebecca " of Sam[l] & Abigail Allen.
7.	12.	"	Elizabeth " of Joseph & Mary Bass.
7.	1.	1703	Eunice " of Benjamin & Susanna Webb.
"	"	"	Christopher son of Ephraim and Sarah Thair.
14.	1.	"	Prudence daughter of John & Susanna Saunders.
25.	2.	"	Sheppard son of Moses & Anna Fiske.
2.	3.	"	Obadiah " of Richard & Rebecca Thear.
"	"	"	Jonathan " of Wm & Hannah Thear.
30.	3.	"	Mary daughter of Nathaniel & Mary Owen.
6.	4.	"	Deborah " of Samuel and Deborah White.
13.	4.	"	Edmund " of Ed. & Dorothy Quincy.
"	"	"	Elizabeth wife of Edmund Littlefield.
20.	4.	"	Mary Brown (who owned the Cov[t] &c.).
25.	5.	"	John son of John & Sarah Marsh.
"	"	"	Mercy wife of James Turbefield.
15.	6.	"	James, Joseph, Mary } children of James & Mary Puffer.
"	"	"	Mehitabel daughter of Joseph & Mehitabel Brackett.
5.	7.	"	Mary, Nathaniel, Elizabeth, Abigail, Anna, Sarah, Lydia } children of Edmund & Elizabeth Littlefield.
"	"	"	Mercy, Mary } children of Mercy & James Turbifield.
"	"	"	Ann daughter of Samuel & Elizabeth Nucum.
"	"	"	Sarah " of John & Anna Dyer
19.	7.	"	Nathan son of Nathan & Hannah Spear.
26.	7.	"	Peter " of Nicholas & Rebecca Salter.
"	"	"	Ruth daughter of Benjamin & Ruth Nyle.
10.	8.	"	Jerusa " of Benjamin & Lydia Neal.
14.	9.	"	Aaron, son of Moses & Mary Payne.
21.	9.	"	Deliverance daughter of John & Mary Marshall.
5.	10.	"	Ester " of Joseph & Deborah Web.
30.	11.	"	Eleazer son of Ebenezer & Ruth Thair.
13.	12.	"	Mary daughter of Thomas & Mercy Wells.
12.	1.	'04	Atherton son of Nathaniel & Hannah Wales.
"	"	"	Eliashab " of Josiah & Mehitabel Faxon.
19.	1.	"	Nathaniel " of Nathaniel & Mary Mils.
2.	2.	"	Ruth daughter of Ephraim & Sarah Thayer.
9.	2.	"	Caleb son of Benjamin & Susanna Hobart.
16.	2.	"	James " of James & Mercy Turbefield.
23.	2.	"	Enoch " of Samuel & Rebecca Bass.
"	"	"	Bethiah daughter of Samuel & Mary Bass.
30.	2.	1704.	Rachel " of Thomas & Elizabeth French.
"	"	"	Sarah " of John & Sarah Marsh.
14.	3.	"	Richard son of Peter Nucum.
21.	3.	"	Martha daughter of Jabez & Mary Puffer.

4.	4.	1704.	Nathaniel son of Thomas & Mary Copeland.
"	"	"	David " of Wm. & Mary Copeland.
"	"	"	John " of Josiah & Mary Hobart.
2.	5.	"	Anna daughter of John & Hannah Cleverly.
"	"	"	Nathaniel son of John & Sarah Hooper.
30.	5.	"	Ester daughter of Edmund & Dorothy Quincy.
6.	6.	"	James } twins of John & Deborah Payn.
			Deborah }
"	"	"	Katharin daughter of Symon & Hannah Briant.
27.	6.	"	Joseph son of Gregory & Rebecca Belcher.
"	"	"	Ashley " of Moses & Dorathy Curtis.
3.	7.	"	Joseph " of Samuel & Mary Baxter.
"	"	"	Doritha daughter of Samuel & Elizabeth Spear.
"	"	"	Zipporah " of Samuel & Comfort Belcher.
8.	8.	"	Abijah son of Joseph & Abigail Allen.
31.	10.	"	Ame daughter of Peter & Ame Web.
18.	12.	"	Ebenezer son of Joseph & Hannah Adams.
25.	1.	1705.	Hannah daughter of Samuel & Deborah White.
1.	2.	"	Hannah " of Samuel & Abigail Allen.
"	"	"	Sarah " of Nathaniel & Sarah Thair.
15.	2.	"	Nathan son of Benjamin & Susanna Web.
6.	3.	"	Joseph " of Joseph & Mehitabel Brackett.
11.	3.	"	Hephzibah daughter of John & Susanna Saunders.
"	"	"	Ebenezer son of James & Mary Puffer.
3.	4.	"	Jabez " of Jabez & Mary Puffer.
24.	4.	"	William " of William & Hannah Thear.
26.	6.	"	Ruth daughter of Ebenezer & Ruth Thear.
"	"	"	Ester " of Ephraim & Sarah Thear.
21.	8.	"	Sarah " of Jonathan & Sarah Haward.
4.	9.	"	Alden son of Joseph & Mary Bass.
11.	9.	"	Ralph " of Ralph & Rachel Pope of Dorchester.
"	"	"	John " of Nicholas & Rebecca Salter.
"	"	"	Mary daughter of John & Abigail Harding.
16.	10.	"	Deborah " of Edmund & Elizabeth Littlefield.
23.	10.	"	Margaret " of Moses & Anne Fiske.
11.	11.	"	Alexander son of John & Sarah Marsh.
3.	12.	"	Joseph " of Samuel & Mary Baxter.
"	"	"	Moses " of Moses & Dorothy Curtis.
24.	12.	"	Gregory " of John and Hannah Baxter.
19.	3.	1706.	Martha daughter of Eleazer & Rachel Isgate.
9.	4.	"	Sarah " of Josiah & Mehitabel Faxon.
15.	4.	"	Joseph son of Wm & Mary Copeland.
14.	5.	"	Ruth daughter of Samuel & Abigail Allen.
21.	5.	"	Sheffield son of John & Mary Marshall.
"	"	"	Anna daughter of Samuel & Comfort Belcher.
4.	6.	"	Hannah " of Samuel & Elizabeth Spear.
"	"	"	Elizabeth " of Thomas & Mary Copeland.
8.	6.	"	Ester " of Peter & Mary Adams.
"	"	"	Mercy " of Thomas & Mercy Wells.
"	"	"	Johanna " of Nathaniel & Sarah Thayre.
1.	7.	"	Mary " of Nathaniel & Mary Mils.
8.	7.	"	Samuel son of Thomas & Elizabeth French.
15.	7.	"	Mary daughter of Benjamin & Ruth Nyle.

29.	7.	1706.	Thomas son of John & Hannah Cleverly.
27.	8.	"	Elizabeth daughter of Edmund & Dorothy Quincy.
22.	10.	"	Abigail " of Joseph & Abigail Allen.
29.	10.	"	Katherin " of Gregory & Elizabeth Belcher.
16.	1.	1707	William son of James & Abigail Penniman.
6.	2.	"	Barnabas " of Samuel & Mary Baxter.
11.	3.	"	Richard " of Peter & Ame Web.
18.	3.	"	Alexander " of John & Sarah Marsh.
1.	4.	"	Abigail daughter of John & Susanna Saunders.
8.	4.	"	Deborah " of Wm & Sarah Savel.
6.	5.	"	Ruth " of Ebenezer & Ruth Thear.
13.	5.	"	Nicholas son of John Blancher, Weymth.
10.	6.	"	Ann daughter of Wm. & Sarah Rawson.
14.	7.	"	Richard son of Joseph & Mehitabel Brackett.
28.	7.	"	Thomas " of Nathaniel & Hannah Spear.
30.	9.	"	Samuel " of Jabez & Mary Puffer.
14.	10.	"	Edward " of Moses and Dorothy Curtis.
11.	11.	"	William " of William & Sarah Savel.
13.	4.	1708.	William " of Samuel & Elizabeth Spear.
			Total 779.
7.	10.	1677	Robert Parmenter chosen deacon in the room of Deacon Eliot who deceased 23. 8. 77.
2.	9.	1679	Robert Parmenter & Samuel Tompson ordained deacons.
27.	12.	1700	Nathaniel Wales ordained Ruling Elder.

THE STIMPSON FAMILY OF CHARLESTOWN, MASS.

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16. Rebecca[4] Stimson (*John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, June 17, 1719, married at Charlestown, May 7, 1741, Caleb, son of Caleb and Ann (Whaff) Call, who was baptized at Charlestown, Nov. 16, 1718. She died at Charlestown, Jan. 26, 1765. He married second, about 1775, Mrs. Lydia (Soley) (Stevens) Greenleaf, daughter of John and Dorcas (Coffin) Soley, and widow of John Stevens (married Dec. 4, 1746) and Stephen Greenleaf (married Apr. 26, 1753). He died at Charlestown, Aug. 7, 1780.

Rebecca Stimson was received into full communion, Dec. 18, 1737. Caleb Call, who was a baker by trade, and followed that vocation at Charlestown, later was styled "Esquire." With wife Rebecca, he sold to William Kettell the house and land she received from her father's estate, which house was occupied by J. Bolerson, a baker from Boston. When the widow's dower was set off, she was given certain chambers in the house, near the ovens.

Children, born in Charlestown:

i. Caleb Call, b. Mar. 10, bapt. Mar. 14, 1741-2; d. June 6, 1742.
ii. Caleb Call, b. Apr. 16, bapt. Apr. 17, 1743; d. June 22, 1743.

iii. REBECCA CALL, b. May 14, bapt. May 20, 1744; m. at Charlestown, Sept. 6, 1763, Hon. Nathaniel,* son of Nathaniel and Mary (Soley) Gorham, who was b. in Charlestown, and bapt. May 21, 1738, and d. June 11, 1796; d. Nov. 18, 1812.

iv. CALEB CALL, b. Aug. 6, bapt. Aug. 10, 1746; d. Oct. 6, 1747.

v. MARTHA CALL, bapt. Mar. 29, 1747; d. young.

vi. JOSEPH CALL, bapt. Nov. 12, 1749; m. Nov. 4, 1773, Margaret Babb. His will, dated Apr. 1, 1775, probated Dec. 28, 1779, mentioned only his wife, and said that he was about to go on a voyage. He probably went to sea, and never was heard from.

vii. BENJAMIN CALL, b. Nov. 29, bapt. Dec. 2, 1750; m. at Boston, Jan. 13, 1780, Sarah Jefford; d. at Charlestown, S. C., Dec. 14, 1785; was a member of the New North Church, Boston, 1781.

viii. RUTH CALL, bapt. Feb. 9, 1752; d. young.

ix. CALEB CALL, b. Jan. 29, bapt. Feb. 3, 1754; d. July 21, 1754.

x. SAMUEL CALL, b. Apr. 18, 1756, bapt. same day; m. (int. pub. Sept. 28, 1776) Esther, dau. of Capt. Josiah and Elizabeth (Green) Green, who was b. in Stoneham, Nov. 15, 1757. He d. at Malden, Oct. 4, 1828; and she d. there, May 12, 1853, aged 96 yrs. He was a Revolutionary soldier, enlisted from Stoneham, and served as a private in Capt. Ford's Co. In a letter dated Stoneham, Dec. 8, 1777, sent by Capt. Abraham Gould, and addressed to Capt. Ford, it was stated that he had sent forward said Call and others to serve for the town of Stoneham, and he recommended Call's appointment as 1st Corp. Child: *Esther.*

xi. ANNE CALL, b. Dec. 24, bapt. Dec. 25, 1757; m. at Boston, Nov. 22, 1778, Peter Roe, son of James and Abigail (Roe) (Alden) Dalton, who was b. in Boston in 1743, and bapt. there (King's Chapel) Nov. 13, 1743. He d. at Boston, Sept. 8, 1811; and she d. there Mar. 4, 1835. He was the first cashier of the United States Bank in Boston, and held that position at the time of his death. He inherited the Dalton family mansion, situated on Water Street, and was to pay the other children their proportion of their father's estate. The Dalton house stood on Dalton's row, or lane, which was afterwards called Congress Street, and is now McKinley Square, the site of the present Post Office. His will was dated June 16, 1811, and probated Sept. 16, 1811. Children: 1. *James.* 2. *Ann Tucker.* 3. *Peter Roe.* 4. *Caroline.* 5. *Henry.* 6. *Charles.* 7. *John Call.* 8. *Mary.* 9. *Mary* (again).

xii. ELIZABETH CALL, b. Nov. 27, bapt. Dec. 2, 1759; m. Apr. 6, 1783, Hon. Josiah, son of George and Katherine (Whittemore) Bartlett, who was b. Aug. 1, and bapt. Aug. 12, 1759, and d. Mar. 3 or 5, 1820. Children: 1. *Elizabeth.* 2. *Catherine.* 3. *Josiah Whittemore.* 4. *Rebecca Call.* 5. *Josiah Whittemore* (again). 6. *John Call.* 7. *George.* 8. *Gorham.* 9. *Charlotte.* 10. *Josiah.* 11. *Caleb Call.* 12. *Charlotte* (again). 13. *Martha.* 14. *Ann.* 15. *Charlotte* (again).

xiii. JOHN CALL, b. Aug. 20, bapt. Aug. 22, 1762; d. Sept. 18, 1808; never married.

xiv. MARTHA CALL, b. May 31, bapt. June 3, 1764; m. at Charlestown, Jan. 30, 1793, as his third wife, John, son of John and Hannah (Thompson) Atwater, who was b. in Westfield (or perhaps Cheshire), Sept. 5, 1751, and had m. (1) Dolly, dau. of Ezra and Margaret Clapp, and m. (2) Anne Ingersoll. He d. at Westfield, Sept. 8, 1823; and she d. there, about 1834. Children: 1. *Dolly Ann.* 2. *Nancy Dalton.* 3. *George.*

17. ELIZABETH[4] STIMSON (*John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, Dec. 26, 1726, married at Charlestown, Sept. 26, 1748, Thomas, son of Joseph and Ann (Phillips) Newell, who was born

* They were ancestors of Bishop Phillips Brooks, through their daughter Lydia Gorham, b. Dec., 1778, who m. Dec. 22, 1798, John Phillips, and whose daughter Mary Ann[7] Phillips, b. Mar. 17, 1808, m. Sept. 9, 1833, William Gray Brooks, whose son was Phillips Brooks, b. Dec. 13, 1835, and d. Jan. 23, 1893.

in Charlestown, July 26, 1724, and died at Lunenburg, Mar. 5, 1793. She died at Boston, Sept. 1, 1773, gravestone in Granary Burying-ground. He was a hatter by trade and lived at Charlestown, afterwards removing to Boston. In a deed dated July 19, 1763, in which he is called "mariner," he and his wife sold to their brother John Stimpson, of Charlestown, "the southerly part of the Mansion house of our father, with land adjoining, lately improved by us, agreeably to the division of our said father's estate amongst his children, as ordered by the Court." (Middlesex Co. Deeds, v. 62, p. 32.)

Children, the first four born in Charlestown, the others in Boston:

i. THOMAS NEWELL, b. Sept. 10, bapt. Sept. 17, 1749; had wife Hannah, who d. at Lunenburg, Feb. 6 (another record gives Feb. 3), 1807; d. at Lunenburg, Nov. 13, 1827. Children: 1. *Nancy.* 2. *Hannah.*

ii. ELIZABETH NEWELL, b. June 4, bapt. June 7, 1752; d. at Boston, Apr. 9, 1774, aged 22 yrs. (gravestone in Granary Burying-ground gives date as Apr. 12).

iii. ANN NEWELL, b. Mar. 29, bapt. Apr. 3, 1757; d. at Boston, Oct. 19, 1766; gravestone in Granary Burying-ground.

iv. MARGARET NEWELL, bapt. Feb. 17, 1760; m. Patrick Grant. Her uncle, Timothy Newell of Boston, whose will was dated Feb. 5, 1799, gave her a house and land in Charlestown, at which time she was called Margaret Grant. She d. at Boston, Jan. 23, 1830, aged 70 yrs.

v. MARY NEWELL, bapt. Mar. 7 or 14, 1762; m. at Boston, Nov. 3, 1785 (Brattle St. Church record), Nov. 10, 1785 (Boston records), James Davenport, son of John and Abia (Davenport) Griffiths, who was b. in 1764, and d. at Boston, Sept., 1804; d. at Boston, Mar. 30, 1824. Children: 1. *Margaret Grant.* 2. *James.* 3. *Mary Elizabeth Newell.*

vi. JOSEPH NEWELL, b. Nov. 22, bapt. Nov. 23, 1766; m. at Boston, Mar. 2, 1789, Sarah Thornton Wier; d. at Boston, Oct. 31, 1856, aged 90 yrs. He was at one time a prominent merchant in Boston, and from his uncle Timothy Newell's estate he inherited the mansion house in Bowdoin Square which he occupied. With his partner, Ebenezer Niles, he purchased a large tract of land in Dorchester, near Commercial Point, about 1805, with the intention of making it the centre of business, and many improvements were made, and two large houses built, both of which are standing at the present time. The war of 1812 coming on, they were unable to continue, and lost their entire estate. Children: 1. *Polly.* 2. *Sarah.* 3. *Timothy.* 4. *Sarah Wier.*

18. JOHN[4] STIMSON (*John,*[3] *Andrew,*[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, Jan. 18, 1728–9, married at Charlestown, Jan. 30, 1751–2, Susannah, daughter of William and Susannah (White) Fosdick, who was born in Charlestown, Oct. 8, 1733, died at Charlestown, Mar. 13, 1776, and was buried at Medford, Mar. 17, 1776, where his gravestone is still to be seen in the Medford Cemetery. She married second, about 1778, Joseph Newell of Charlestown, who may have been son of Joseph and Ann (Phillips) Newell, born in Charlestown, June 7, 1716. He died previous to 1798; and she died in Boston, Feb. 28, 1817, and was buried in the Bradshaw tomb, Boston Common.

He resided in Charlestown, and followed the family trade of baker. He inherited two-fifths of the homestead when his father's estate was divided, and purchased that portion set off to his sister Elizabeth Newell. His house was situated at what is now the

corner of Main and Meade Streets, with the bake-house in the rear. The land extended from Main Street up the hill to the present Bunker Hill Street, or, as it was called in early times, "the road over Bunker Hill." There is a tradition in the family that he furnished supplies (probably bread) for the American army during the Revolution, and that his death was caused by camp fever. No records have as yet been found which would prove this. He made a claim for the destruction of his buildings at the burning of the town by the British in 1775, amounting to £334. 8. 0., and was taxed in Charlestown from 1756 to 1773, but why the tax was omitted for the remaining years is not known. His wife renewed the Covenant, Jan. 7, 1753, just previous to the baptism of her first child.

He died intestate, and administration on his estate was granted to his widow, Sept. 20, 1776. Henry Sweetser was appointed guardian of all the children who were minors. The homestead was purchased by the son William, who paid the other heirs for their interest.

Children, born in Charlestown:

19. i. JOHN,[5] b. Aug. 8, 1752, bapt. Jan. 14, 1753.
20. ii. SUSANNAH, b. Feb. 1, bapt. Feb. 3, 1754; m. Ezra Whitmarsh.
21. iii. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 8, 1756, bapt. same day.
22. iv. ABIGAIL, b. June 2, bapt. June 5, 1757; m. James Gibbs.
23. v. ANDREW, b. June 25, bapt. July 1, 1759.
24. vi. RUTH, bapt. Mar. 15, 1761; m. Andrew Bradshaw.
25. vii. REBECCA, bapt. Apr. 10, 1763; m. Josiah Capen.
26. viii. MARY, b. May 2, 1763 (gravestone), bapt. May 5, 1765; m. David Simmons.
27. ix. ELIZABETH, bapt. Apr. 19, 1767; m. Jonas Dix.
28. x. BENJAMIN, bapt. Aug. 7, 1768.
29. xi. JOSEPH, b. Apr. 22, 1770.
30. xii. NANCY, b. Oct. 14, bapt. Oct. 27, 1771; m. John Dicks.
31. xiii. NATHANIEL, bapt. July 18, 1773.

19. JOHN[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, Aug. 8, 1752, married first, at Watertown, Oct. 6, 1773, Mary, daughter of Nathaniel and Mary (Kemball) Harrington, who was born in Watertown, May 18, 1748; married second, at Keene, N.H., June 24, 1790, Rebecca, born in Keene, N. H., May 24, 1772, daughter of Josiah and Mary Willard, and half-sister to Hon. Lockart Willard who married his sister Rebecca Stimpson; and married third, at Watertown, July 21, 1806, Sibel Goodrich of Lexington. He died at Watertown, Dec. 2, 1828.

He followed the family trade of saddler, and was the first of the family to reside in Watertown. He served in the Revolution as a member of Capt. Phineas Stearns's Co., for five days, which marched from Watertown, by order of General Washington, to reinforce the Army in taking possession of Dorchester Heights, Mar., 1776 (Mass. Rev. Records, vol. 23, p. 30), and appears to have signed a receipt for Bounty, paid him by Jonathan Brown, town treasurer for the town of Watertown, dated Watertown, July 17, 1776 (Mass. Rev. Records, vol. 53, p. 187).

Little is known concerning this John. He resided at Watertown for a number of years; and probably lived at Keene, N. H., at the time of his second marriage. Dec. 29, 1784, with his mother, Susannah Newell, and his brothers and sisters, he sold his interest in

his father's estate to his brother William. (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 88, p. 310.) Oct. 14, 1798, with other heirs, he sold his interest in one acre of land laid out from his father's estate, to his mother, subject to her interest. (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 131, p. 4.)

Children by first wife, born in Watertown:

i. JOHN,[6] b. Dec. 31, 1773; m. at Watertown, Oct. 29, 1797, Fanny, dau. of Phineas and Susannah (Newton) Jennison, who was bapt. at Watertown, Sept. 30, 1781, whose gravestone indicates that she was b. about 1779, and who d. at Watertown Feb. 14, 1814, aged 35 yrs.; d. at Watertown, Nov. 14, 1828 (gravestone). May 16, 1826, John Stimpson's children received their share of Phineas Jennison's estate.

ii. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 25, 1776; m. in Boston, Feb. 27, 1799, Sally Greene of Portsmouth, N. H., where she was b. May 15, 1780. He d. at Boston, Dec. 5, 1821; and she d. at Roxbury, Jan. 17, 1860 (State record), Jan. 16, 1860 (gravestone). He was a sea captain, and followed the sea for a number of years. About 1800, he settled in Boston, and carried on the business of block and pump maker at Fort Hill wharf, residing on Purchase St.

iii. NANCY, b. Nov. 24, 1778; m. at Boston, Sept. 7, 1802, Capt. Thomas, son of Rev. Thomas and Lydia (Wadsworth) Browne, who was b. in Falmouth (now Portland), Mar. 24, 1769, and d. at Portland, Mar. 1, 1849; d. same place, June 29, 1860.

iv. SUSAN FOSDICK, b. Dec. 13, bapt. Dec. 18, 1785; d. at Peabody, May 20, 1869, aged 84 yrs. (gravestone at Watertown). State records give the date of her death as May 19, 1869. She resided for some six years with her aunt Mrs. Bradshaw, just previous to that lady's death. Mrs. Bradshaw left her a legacy, and she was given a liberal allowance from the estate for her services. She never married.

Children by second wife:

v. HANNAH, b. July, 1798; m. at Waltham, Apr. 29, 1823, Rufus K. Foss; d. at Waltham, Mar. 1, 1871, at which time she was a widow.

vi. REBECCA WILLARD, b. about 1800; m. at Waltham, Dec. 2, 1840, William B. Knight; d. at Waltham, Mar. 2, 1876.

20. SUSANNAH[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, Feb. 1, 1754, married (published June 20, 1772) Ezra Whitmarsh, Jr. She owned the covenant, May 9, 1773; was living in Nassau Street, Boston, a widow, in 1816; was a glove maker, a trade followed by some of her sisters; and died about 1828. Nothing has as yet been found concerning his ancestry. He was taxed in Charlestown in 1770, 1771, 1772 and 1773; and in 1798 he resided in Boston, where he was a leather dresser by trade. Oct. 14, 1798, with wife Susannah, he sold his interest in the estate of his father-in-law, John Stimpson.

Children, born in Charlestown.

i. WILLIAM WHITMARSH, bapt. May 9, 1773; m. at Boston, Oct. 29, 1797, Mary, dau. of Isaac Mead, who was b. in Charlestown, 1778; d. at Charlestown, Mar. 18, 1806. She m. (2) in Malden, Oct. 19, 1817, William, son of Benjamin and Mary Oliver, b. in Chelsea, 1773, who was appointed guardian of her child William, Apr. 24, 1820. She d. in Malden, Dec. 24, 1846; and he d. there, Apr. 8, 1864, aged 91 yrs.

ii. SUSAN WHITMARSH, m. at Boston, Jan. 1, 1797, Samuel Jackson; d. previous to 1851.

iii. JOHN WHITMARSH, had wife Susan; was a mariner; d. previous to June 26, 1820, when she was appointed admx. of his estate.

iv. NANCY WHITMARSH, m. at Boston, Nov. 5, 1797, Gurden, son of Jabez and Lucy (Bushnell) Avery, who was b. in Norwich, Conn., Jan. 14, 1771, was a mariner residing in Boston, and d. at Boston May 26, 1818; d. same place, Nov. 4, 1817.

v. EZRA WHITMARSH, d. previous to 1851.

vi. MARIA WHITMARSH, b. in Boston, Feb. 28, 1794; m. at Boston, Dec. 19, 1820, Cornelius Briggs, son of Abner and Ruth (Briggs) Magoun, who was b. at Pembroke, July 12, 1783, and d. there June 16, 1860; d. (burned to death) at Pembroke, Nov. 21, 1871.

vii. CATHARINE WHITMARSH, m. at Boston, Aug. 11, 1811, Daniel, son of Daniel and Esther (Owen) Hollis, who was b. in Braintree, June 5, 1783, and d. at Boston, Jan. 22, 1861; d. at Boston about 1848. Her son-in-law, Rufus P. Parish, was appointed admr. of her estate, Dec. 11, 1848.

21. WILLIAM[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]) was born in Charlestown, Feb. 8, 1756 (Town record), but the church record gives the date of his baptism as Feb. 1, 1755. He married at Charlestown, Nov. 24, 1782, Catharine, daughter of Teunis and Catharine (Stockholm) Rappalye or Rapalje, of Newtowne, N. Y., where she was probably born. He died at Charlestown, about 1838; and she died there about 1805.

He followed the trade of baker, and carried on the business in Charlestown, where he owned land near the old homestead on Main Street. Dec 29, 1784, he purchased from his mother, Susannah Newell, and his brothers and sisters, the entire estate left by his father, save a small portion set off to his mother as her thirds. (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 88, p. 310.) By deed of May 3, 1795, he sold the same estate to his mother-in-law, Catherine Rappalye (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 118, p. 8); and she in turn sold it to Joseph Newell of Boston, Dec. 2, 1800. (Middlesex Co. Deeds, vol. 139, p. 426.)

Children, born in Charlestown:

i. JOHN,[6] probably d. young.

ii. WILLIAM, b. about 1787; supposed to have married; had a son *William*, who is living at the present time, but his residence is unknown; he d. at Charlestown, Apr. 30, 1852, aged 65 yrs.; the State records mention him as being "single" at the time of his death.

iii. CATHARINE, b. May 1, bapt. at Trinity Church, Boston, June 9, 1793 (church record); m. at Charlestown, Apr. 26, 1819, Nathaniel, son of Joseph and Sarah (Gray) Childs, who was b. in Boston about 1795, and d. at Charlestown, Sept. 1, 1821, aged 27 yrs.; d. in Boston (Charlestown District), Jan. 15, 1880, aged 86 yrs. Child: *Francis*, b. in 1820; a member of the firm of Childs, Crosby & Lane, Boston; a prominent citizen of Charlestown; Alderman in 1861 and 1862; State Senator in 1864 and 1865; and member of the Governor's Council in 1877.

iv. A CHILD, d. Sept. 26, 1793.

v. GEORGE RAPPALYE, b. July 22, 1794; m. at New Bedford, July 15, 1821, Nancy H., dau. of Ichabod and Mary Sherman, who was b. in New Bedford, Oct. 12, 1800, and d. at New Bedford, May 31, 1880; was named for his great-grandfather, George Rappalye; in his younger days went whaling; after his marriage, he followed the trade of sailmaker; resided in Charlestown; d. there Apr. 8, 1864.

vi. EDWARD, bapt. July 29, 1798; d. Oct. 10, 1798.

vii. MARGARET, b. Nov. 4, 1799, bapt. Jan. 5, 1800; m. Nov. 21, 1822 (Boston record), Nov. 13, 1822 (family record), Elisha, son of Edmund and Elizabeth (Wiswall) Trowbridge, who was b. in

Newton, Aug. 3, 1797, and d. at Portland, Me., Feb. 16, 1882; d. there Aug. 10, 1885.

22. ABIGAIL[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, June 2, 1757, married at Charlestown, Feb. 4, 1777, James Gibbs of Medford, who was born in Scotland about 1752, and died at Charlestown in 1824 (within three months of Mar. 24, 1824). She died at Charlestown, Apr. 8, 1843 (family record), Apr. 10, 1843 (town record and gravestone). They lived in Wapping Street.

Wyman says: "James Gibbs was from Scotland, Mar. 1776; was in Census of 1789; was at Medford, afterwards at Charlestown." He enlisted in 1777, and served as Sergeant in Capt. Richards's Co., Col. Vose's Regt. Mar. 31, 1818, he applied for a pension, and was allowed one for six years' service. Administration on his estate was granted his widow in 1825.

She was admitted a member of the church at Charlestown, Sept. 11, 1814; and was allowed a pension for the services of her husband. Administration on her estate was granted to James R. Turner, May 16, 1843:

Children, born in Charlestown:

i. JAMES GIBBS, b. about 1785; m. (1) Elizabeth Watts of Chelsea, who was b. about 1780, and d. at Wiscasset, Me., Oct. 2, 1822, aged 42 yrs.; m. (2) at Wiscasset. Mar. 7, 1824, Mrs. Mary Snell, who d. there, Dec. 30, 1846; m. (3) at Wiscasset, Jan. 3, 1848, Mrs. Hannah, widow of Henry Rynall; d. at Wiscasset, Jan. 13, 1852, aged 67 yrs.

ii. JOHN GIBBS, b. about 1788; m. at Boston, Jan 7, 1811, Eleanor, dau. of William and Tabitha (Glover) Bartol of Marblehead, where she was baptized (First Church) June 7, 1789. He d. at Charlestown, Apr. 24, 1845, aged 57 yrs.; and she d. same place, Mar. 3, 1867.

iii. RUTH GIBBS, b. July 16, 1789; m. (1) Dec. 3, 1806, Edward Damon of Scituate, who d. at Charlestown, July 23, 1810; m. (2) at Charlestown, July 16, 1815, as his second wife, Laban, son of Micah and Mary (Pratt) Turner, who was b. in Weymouth, Mar. 5, 1783 (Weymouth town records), Dec. 16, 1785 (Family records), and d. at Charlestown, July 7, 1844, aged 61 yrs. (Town records), July 8, 1844, aged 62 yrs. (Church records); d. same place, Aug. 7, 1851 (gravestone). Administration on his estate was granted to James R. Turner, Aug. 20, 1844. Laban Turner's first wife (m. Jan. 18, 1807) was Rebecca Burditt, who d. Sept. 20, 1814.

iv. NANCY GIBBS, b. about 1793; m. at Boston, Nov. 8, 1812, Isaac Johnson; lived in Boston; was under guardianship of James Gibbs, May 21, 1844; d. at Boston, Feb. 3, 1875, aged 82 yrs.

v. SUSAN FOSDICK GIBBS, b. about 1797; m. at Boston, Nov. 5, 1820, Worham Wheeler; lived at No. 2 Distil-House Sq., Boston. He d. at Cincinnati, O., Aug. 17, 1834; and she d. at Mrs. Bradshaw's, Distil-House Sq. (now Bowker Street), Boston, Sept 23, 1842, aged 45 yrs., and is buried in Boston Common Cemetery. Her will, dated Aug. 17, 1842, was probated Nov. 21, 1842 (Suffolk Co. Probate).

23. ANDREW[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*,[1]), born in Charlestown, June 25, 1759, married first, at Stoughton, July 7, 1782, Lucy, daughter of George and Amee (Dwelly) Blackman, who was born in Stoughton, Nov. 27, 1757, and died at Dedham, Jan. 15, 1799, aged 41 years; married second, at Charlestown, Apr.

22, 1800, Deborah Blackman, probably a sister of his first wife, who died and was buried at Hudson, N. H.; and married third, Abigail, daughter of Joseph and Abigail (Walker) Bailey of Hudson, who was born in Hollis, N. H., Oct. 14, 1799, and died Sept. 27, 1846 (Bailey Genealogy), but according to another record, she survived her husband, and was living in 1840, when he made his will. He died at Charlestown, Dec. 28, 1849, aged 90 years.

By trade he was a saddler, which trade he followed at Charlestown and Hudson. Dec. 29, 1784, with wife Lucy, he signed the family deed, and sold his interest in his father's estate. June 20, 1821, with wife Deborah, he sold his right to the one acre of land in Charlestown, also his brother Joseph's interest, which he had purchased, Jan. 18, 1821. Nov. 3, 1819, he purchased land at Nottingham West, N. H. (now Hudson), and removed there with his family. The farm was situated near the Londonderry line. He resided there until he returned to Charlestown, sometime after 1840. His will, dated Nov. 6, 1840, probated at Cambridge in 1850, mentions his wife Abigail, and a number of grandchildren, and after certain legacies were paid, the rest of his estate was given to his son George Stimpson and daughter Harriet Towne.

Children, born in Charlestown:

i. LUCY,[6] bapt. at Watertown, Aug. 24, 1783; m. Joseph Russell of Watertown; six children, born in Watertown.

ii. SUSANNAH, m. Samuel Walker; probably lived at Watertown.

iii. NANCY, m. (1), int. pub. Jan. 22, 1809, Loami, son of Abraham and Ruth (Kendall) Bailey, who was b. in Tewksbury, Jan. 19, 1784, and d. about 1819. Abraham Bailey, Jr., declined to be executor of the estate of Loami Bailey, late of New Orleans, deceased, Aug. 24, 1819. She m. (2) John, son of Richard Trumbull of Charlestown, and died previous to 1840, at which time her father made his will, in which he mentioned his grandsons, Loami Bailey and Richard Trumbull.

iv. ELIZABETH, probably d. Sept. 21, 1789.

v. HARRIET, bapt. June, 1790; d. Nov. 4, 1791, according to another record, Dec. 1791.

vi. GEORGE, b. May 21, 1793; bapt. Nov. 1, 1805; m. (1) Jan. 24, 1819, Sarah, dau. of John U. and Betsey Hiers of Danvers, who was b. in Danvers, June, 1793, and d. at Charlestown, Jan. 6, 1853; m. (2) at Charlestown, Oct. 30, 1853, Mary (Harmon) Hutchins, b. in Salem, 1806, dau. of Daniel and Polly Harmon, and widow of William Hutchings, who d. at Charlestown; d. at Charlestown, Nov. 20, 1867.

vii. CHARLES, b. Sept. 17, 1803, bapt. Nov. 1, 1805; m. Hannah, dau. of Henry and Polly March of Londonderry, N. H. Charles Stimpson and wife Hannah sold to Robert March and William Anderson "all that part of the homestead of Henry March of Londonderry, conveyed to me Aug. 11, 1828." He was a blacksmith, residing at Londonderry, N. H., and may have lived at Chelmsford and Lowell; with his sister Harriet Towne he received the larger part of his father's estate, which, as executor, he sold June 5, 1850, to George W. Hills of Hudson.

viii. ANDREW, b. Aug. 1800; bapt. Nov. 1, 1805; m. (1) at Charlestown, Sept. 22, 1825, Charlotte, dau. of John and Esther (Beacham) Carter, who was b. in Charlestown, in Mar., bapt. Nov. 18, 1799, and d. at Sandwich, Aug. 11, 1832; m. (2) at Sandwich, Aug. 7, 1834, Lydia Ellis, dau. of Hatsuld and Mary (Higgins) Chipman, who was b. in Sandwich, May 24, 1802, and d. at Sandwich, Sept. 26, 1859; d. at North Bridgewater, Dec. 15, 1870.

ix. HARRIET, b. 1805, bapt. Nov. 1, 1805; m. at Londonderry, N. H., Apr. 14, 1829, Moody Bridges, son of Moses and Charlotte (Underwood) Towne, who was b. in Londonderry, N. H., Oct. 3, 1805, and d. in Litchfield, N. H., Jan. 1888; d. Apr. 1, 1859.

24. RUTH[5] STIMPSON (*John,*[4] *John,*[3] *Andrew,*[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, and baptized Mar. 15, 1761, married in Boston, Mar. 15, 1786, Andrew, the son of Stephen and Mary Bradshaw of Medford, born in Medford, Feb. 26, 1753, and died in Boston in the early part of 1802. She died in Boston, May 23, 1852, aged 92 years.

He was a distiller, and his house was situated next to the distillery on Distil-House Square, now Bowker Street, Boston. The family occupied this house until the death of Mrs. Bradshaw, when, by the terms of her will, it was sold to settle her estate. Her will, dated Oct. 6, 1842, with a codicil added Jan. 20, 1847, probated June 14, 1852, mentioned a large number of heirs. No issue.

25. REBECCA[5] STIMPSON (*John,*[4] *John,*[3] *Andrew,*[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, and baptized Apr. 10, 1763, married first, in Boston (Trinity Church), Jan. 11, 1785, according to another record, Aug. 22, 1785, Josiah, son of Josiah and Charity (Dwelly) Capen of Dorchester, who was born in Dorchester, June 7, 1748, and died in Watertown about 1796; married second, Levi Goodenowe, who died Dec. 5, 1798; married third, in Keene, N. H., Jan. 9, 1800, Joseph Kimball of Plainfield, N. H.; married fourth, in Keene, N. H., Sept. 24, 1806, as his second wife, Lockhart, son of Maj. Josiah and Thankfull Willard, who was born in Keene, May 15, 1763, and died in Keene, Mar. 22, 1818, who had married first, July 20, 1783, Salome, daughter of Gen. James and Abigail (Hinds) Reed of New Salem, Mass.; and married fifth, and last, in Keene, Nov. 29, 1821, as his second wife, Michael, son of Ens. Michael and Anne Metcalf, who was born in Keene, about 1761, and who had married first, Dec. 31, 1789, Mehitable Hale. Michael Metcalf died in Keene, July 8, 1847, aged 86 years; and she died there May 16, 1851.

Children by first husband, born in Watertown:

i. JOSIAH CAPEN, b. Mar. 14, 1787; m. in Boston, June 15, 1815, Marietta, dau. of William and Elizabeth (Woods) Gridley, who was b. in Roxbury, Oct. 27, 1792, and d. in Boston, Jan. 19, 1875; d. in Boston, Nov. 8, 1865.

ii. REBECCA CAPEN, m. in Keene, Mar. 24, 1807, Thomas F. Ames.

26. MARY[5] STIMPSON (*John,*[4] *John,*[3] *Andrew,*[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, May 2, 1763 (gravestone), baptized May 5, 1765, married in Boston, Feb. 10, 1785, David, son of Reuben and Sarah (Lincoln) Simmons, who was born in Hingham, Jan. 4, 1763, and died suddenly, in Roxbury, Oct. 1, 1845. She died there Dec. 31, 1845.

He settled in Keene, N. H., about the time of his marriage, was a prominent man of the town, and was a lawyer of considerable note and enjoyed a lucrative practice. In his declining years he spent part of his time with his children, most of whom resided on Highland Street in Roxbury.

Children, born in Keene, N. H.:

i. JOSEPH NEWELL SIMMONS, b. Nov. 26, 1785; m. Mary Loring, who

was probably the dau. of Joseph and Nancy Loring. It is supposed that he went to the Barbadoes, but was never heard from.

ii. DAVID ALLAN SIMMONS, b. Nov. 7, 1787; m. in Roxbury, June 27, 1820, Martha Fairfield, dau. of Hon. Nathaniel and Sarah (Fellows) Ruggles, who was b. in Roxbury, June 10, 1801, and d. there, Aug. 15, 1850, as per gravestone, but the State record gives the date of her death as Aug. 3, 1850; d. in Roxbury, Nov. 20, 1859. No issue. He was a distinguished citizen of Roxbury; was a well known lawyer, with an office in Court Street, Boston; and was State Senator from Roxbury, in 1848 and 1849.

iii. MARIA WILLIAMS SIMMONS, b. Sept. 7, 1789; m. in Boston, Sept. 11, 1808, Ephraim, son of Jonathan and Catharine (Wyman) Harrington, who was b. in Watertown, Sept. 24, 1786, and d. in Plymouth, N. H., July 24, 1854, while on a visit for his health; d. in Boston, Jan. 28, 1884.

iv. THOMAS SIMMONS, b. Oct. 8, 1791; m. in Roxbury, Oct. 21, 1825, Sarah Homans, dau. of Samuel and Sarah (Homans) Thwing, who was b. in Boston, July 24, 1800, and d. in Roxbury, Sept. 20, 1850; d. in Roxbury, Mar. 21, 1866 (gravestone), Mar. 16, 1866 (Thwing Genealogy).

v. LYDIA FOSDICK SIMMONS, b. June 2, 1793; m. Messer Barker; date and place of marriage has not as yet been found, but shortly afterward they removed to Ohio, where he d.; she returned to Roxbury and resided with her brothers; d. there Apr. 3, 1859, and buried in the family lot at Forest Hills Cemetery. No issue.

vi. REBECCA CAPEN SIMMONS, b. Feb. 23, 1796; m. in Roxbury, July 27, 1823, Samuel Maverick, son of Samuel and Mehitable (Lillie) Phillips, who was born in Boston, May 19, 1795, and d. there, June 8, 1875; d. in Boston July 22, 1878.

vii. ELIZA DICKS SIMMONS, b. Apr. 7, 1798; m. in Keene, N. H., Mar. 5, 1820, James S., son of Charles and Cynthia (Pettee) Sumner of Dedham, who was b. in Keene about 1795 (his parents having removed from Dedham to Keene sometime between 1793 and 1800), and the date and place of whose death are not known, except that it was previous to 1857, at which time her brother David mentions her as a widow in his will; d. in Boston, Apr. 21, 1875, buried in the Simmons lot at Forest Hills Cemetery. No issue.

viii. CLARRISA STIMPSON SIMMONS, b. July 17, 1800 (Town record), Jan. 14, 1800 (Family record); m. (1) in Keene, N. H., Feb. 15, 1820, David Barker, who was b. Sept. 17, 1796, and d. Aug. 7, 1829. Nothing has been learned of the ancestry of him or his brother Messer who m. Lydia Fosdick Simmons, but it is supposed that they came from Auburn, N. Y. She m. (2) in Keene, Feb. 25, 1840, Benjamin, son of Samuel and Lucy (Thompson) Hills, who was b. in Surry, N. H., Oct. 24. 1793, and d. there, Oct. 29, 1850; d. in Roxbury, Feb. 15, 1860.

ix. NANCY STIMPSON SIMMONS, b. May 5, 1802; m. in Boston, Dec. 17, 1833, as his second wife, Warren, son of Aaron and Elizabeth (Esty) Fisher, who was b. in Sharon, May 30, 1794, and whose first wife (m. in Boston, Mar. 23, 1820) was Lucretia, dau. of William and Peggy Bucknam of Medford, b. there, Nov. 19, 1793, d. in Boston, Dec. 29, 1825. He d. in Boston, Mar. 9, 1875; and she d. in Roxbury, Feb. 20, 1852. He was a member of the firm of Warren Fisher & Co., Central Wharf, Boston; resided in Roxbury, where he owned large tracts of real estate; and gave up active business in 1863, and was an invalid for a number of years previous to his death.

x. SUSAN FOSDICK SIMMONS, b. Dec. 23, 1804; m. John Henry, son of John and Christiana (Dolbeare) (Stanley) Eastburn, who was b. in Boston, Apr. 1, 1805, and d. there July 1, 1873; d. in Boston, Feb. 12, 1886. They were buried at Mount Auburn Cemetery. He learned the printing business, and was printer for the City of Boston from 1827 till 1854; joined the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in 1832; was at one time proprietor of the *Atlas*;

and received the title of Major by being appointed an aid to Brig. Gen. John S. Tyler. His will, dated Mar. 29, 1871, probated Dec. 28, 1872, which has been printed in book form, mentioned his wife Susan F. Eastburn, only daughter Maria, Edmund P. Dolbeare "my mother's brother," and Mary Stanley, a daughter of his mother by a previous husband.

xi. GEORGE ARTHUR SIMMONS, b. May 17, 1808; m. Belinda, dau. of Thomas and Belinda (Lull) Welles of Boston, who was b. in Boston, about 1818, and d. there Dec. 9, 1891; d. in Boston, Feb. 26, 1884. Mr. Simmons was an old-time merchant of Boston, for many years engaged in the oil business on Long Wharf, and transacted business for several oil houses in New Bedford. When whale oil ceased to be a factor in commerce, he turned his attention to real estate. For over fifty years he resided on Highland Street, Roxbury, in the vicinity of several of his brothers. He was a member of the New-Eng. Hist. Gen. Society, elected Dec. 13, 1859.

27. ELIZABETH[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown about 1766, and baptized Apr. 19, 1766 (Church records give date of baptism as 1767), married first, Apr. 6, 1790, Jonas, son of James and Sarah (Bond) Dix of Watertown, who was born there June 4, 1761, and died in Hamilton, N. Y., Sept., 1799; married second, Stephen Fosdick; and married third, Lyman Beard. She died about 1852, without issue.

Nothing has yet been found concerning her last two marriages. The second one must have taken place after May 5, 1818, for on that date, as Elizabeth Dix, widow, of Nottingham West, N. H., with her sisters Ruth Bradshaw and Nancy Dicks, she sold her interest in her mother's right of dower. Her sister, Mrs. Bradshaw, gave her a legacy in her will in 1842, at which time she was Betsey Beard. She is not mentioned in the settlement of the estate, in 1853, and left no heirs to whom property would descend.

28. BENJAMIN[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, and baptized Aug. 7, 1768, married, Sept. 29, 1788, Rebecca Hill of Cambridge, who was baptized May 17, 1771, and was probably the daughter of Samuel and Martha (Bennett) Hill. He died in Framingham, Nov. 7, 1848. It is understood, by various members of the family, that he had three wives, but the records of the last two marriages have not been found. A Rebecca Stimpson, widow, who died in Taunton, Jan. 21, 1847, may have been his first wife.

In 1798, he sold his interest in the homestead in Charlestown, at which time he was styled "baker, of Boston." For several years he kept a stable in Lendell's Lane, now Exchange Place.

The names of his children have been obtained in part from Mrs. Bradshaw's will.

Children, probably all born in Boston:

i. REBECCA,[6] m. in Boston, Jan. 20, 1811, Daniel, son of Daniel and Sarah (Bangs) Rea, who was b. in Boston, about 1790, and d. in Boston, Feb., 1828; d. in Boston, 1837.

ii. A CHILD, d. Sept., 1789, aged 1 mo.

iii. BENJAMIN, m. (int. pub. in Boston, Aug. 28, 1817) Nancy Haywood. He was in business in Boston for a number of years, and then went to New York, where all trace of him has been lost.

iv. ELIZA A., unmarried in 1853.

v. CAROLINE, b. about 1795; d. in Taunton, Dec. 9, 1866; unmarried.

vi. HARRIET, b. Jan. 22, 1796; m. in Boston, Sept. 29, 1816, Daniel, son of Benjamin and Sarah (Shattuck) Simpson, who was b. in Winslow, Me., Sept 29, 1790, and d. in Boston, July 28, 1886; d. in Boston, June 28, 1871. "Dan" Simpson, as he was called, will be best remembered as the celebrated drummer of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, which he joined in 1854, and for many years, in company with "Cy" Smith, was always to be found at the head of the column. For nearly fifty years he drummed for the New England Guards. In 1820 he formed the Boston Brigade Band, and in 1827 was instrumental in forming the Cadet Band.

vii. ABIGAIL B., b. June, 1802; m. in Boston, Aug. 15, 1819, Ira, son of Isaac and Joanna (Cushman) Bosworth, who was b. in Plymouth, Oct. 13, 1795, and d. in Taunton, June 13, 1873; d. in Boston, Feb. 17, 1871 (Family record), Feb. 15 (State record).

viii. ANDREW B., m. in Boston, June 20, 1824, Harriet Greene, dau. of Thomas and Susannah (Stimpson) Blake, who was b. in Boston, Aug. 26, 1801, and d. there Sept. 21, 1879; d. in Boston, Apr. 30, 1842.

ix. EMILY S., m. (int. pub. Oct. 25, 1842) George W. Gilmore; resided at So. Framingham, Mass., until about 1852, when they removed to California.

x. ELIZABETH.

xi. JOSEPH, b. May 1, 1809; m. (int. pub. in Wiscasset, Me., Nov. 11, 1827) Margaret, daughter of Joseph and Margaret (Sheldon) Firth, who d. in Boston, Apr. 13, 1897; resided at Wiscasset, Me., where he d. Jan. 23, 1881.

29. JOSEPH[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, Apr. 22, 1770, and baptized the same day, married first, in Boston, Aug. 18, 1791, Abigail, daughter of Comfort and Grace (McFadden) Whiting (sometimes written Whiton or Whyton), who was born in Stoughton, Mar. 1, 1771, and died in Milton, Aug. 21, 1795; and married second, in Dorchester, May 15, 1796, Abigail Henshawe of Milton. He died in Belfast, Me., Jan. 2, 1860, aged 89 years. (REGISTER, vol. 14, p. 188.)

He resided at Milton for a number of years. In 1804 he sold land in Milton which formerly belonged to Benjamin Henshawe. In 1821 he was living in South Boston, where he remained as late as 1836, when he removed to Maine.

Children:

i. MARY,[6] m. in Milton, Nov. 7, 1813, William Briggs, Jr. A Mary Briggs d. in Boston, Mar. 17, 1846, aged 52 yrs.

ii. CLARA.

30. ANN[5] (or NANCY) STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, Oct. 14, and baptized Oct. 27, 1771, married in Portland, Me., Oct. 26, 1797, Capt. John, son of John and Margaret (Wier) Dicks of Torphican, Scotland, where he was born, May 15, 1766. He died in Portland, Me., Dec., 1830; and she died in Boston, May 14, 1872, aged 100 years and 7 months.

Capt. Dicks, who resided in Portland, sailed from that port in command of the Brig *Angela*, bound for Cuba, but within three days after leaving port he encountered a severe storm, and neither he nor the vessel were ever heard from again, and it was believed that all on board met their death at that time.

Mrs. Dicks resided in Portland for a number of years, but later removed to Boston, and lived with her son-in-law Mr. Charles

Brooks, of Worcester Street. She lived to a great age, surpassing in that respect all her brothers and sisters. Oct. 14, 1871, she celebrated her one hundredth birthday.

Children, born in Portland:

i. NANCY DICKS, b. Sept. 12, 1799; m. in Portland, Aug. 29, 1824, Charles, son of Cotton Brown and Jane (Williams) Brooks, who was b. in Haverhill, Sept. 5, 1794 (Family record), Sept. 3, 1795 (Bond's Watertown), and d. in Boston, Jan. 19, 1861; d. in Boston, May 3, 1872.

ii. MARGARET DICKS, b. Jan. 16, 1802; m. in Portland, May 29, 1828, William; son of Levi and Lucretia (Mitchell) Cutter, who was b. in North Yarmouth, Me., May 15, 1801, and d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 8, 1867; d. same place, July 12, 1869.

iii. SUSAN NEWELL DICKS, b. Feb. 21, 1804; m. in Portland. Nov. 24, 1824, John Dean, son of John and Deborah (Dean) Gardner, who was b. in Exeter, N. H., Dec. 22, 1799, and d. in Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1869; d. in Wellesley, Nov. 9, 1885.

iv. MARY ELIZABETH DICKS, b. Nov. 18, 1805; d. in Portland, Sept. 16, 1890.

v. JOHN WIER DICKS, b. Mar. 20, 1809; m. in Cowes, England, Dec. 9, 1832, Ann, dau. of Joseph and Mary (Pranker) Tomlin, who was b. in the Isle of Wight, Eng., Mar. 17, 1813, and d. in Worcester, Mass., Mar. 5, 1887; d. in Worcester, May 25, 1881.

vi. ISABEL WILSON DICKS, b. Jan. 28, 1810; m. in Portland, Feb. 2, 1832, Joseph Stockbridge, son of Lebbeus and Sarah Sylvester (Myrick) Bailey, who was b. in North Yarmouth, Me., Apr. 6, 1804, and d. in Portland, Mar. 9, 1888; d. in Portland, Sept. 28, 1869.

31. NATHANIEL[5] STIMPSON (*John*,[4] *John*,[3] *Andrew*,[2] *Andrew*[1]), born in Charlestown, and baptized there July 18, 1773, married in Andover, Nov. 17, 1793, Hephzibah, daughter of Benjamin and Phebe (Chandler) Ames, who was born in Andover, Jan. 20, 1777, and died in Montreal, Canada, Jan. 28, 1802. It is supposed that he married a Miss White for his second wife, and may possibly have had a third wife. No records of such marriages have, however, been found.

He was a baker by trade — which trade has been followed by some member of the Stimpson family for over two hundred years, and, until recently, by one of the family in Peabody — and was in business in Andover, afterwards in Portland, Me., and later in Montreal. The date and place of his death is not known.

Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[6] b. Andover, Jan. 12, 1794; m. in Andover, Dec. 26, 1813, Henry, son of Jabez and Abigail (Graves) Hayward, who was b. in Andover about 1792, and d. in North Reading, Oct. 12, 1870; d. there, June 17, 1879.

ii. ANDREW BRADSHAW, b. about 1798; m. Mary A., dau. of John and Sarah Warren of Portland, where she was b. Oct., 1807; d. in Andover, Apr. 5, 1850. His widow m. (2) in Andover, July 7, 1853, John, son of John and Ruth (Upton) Flint, who was b. Feb., 1792, and d. in Andover, June 21, 1873; and d. there, Apr. 2, 1888.

iii. NANCY DICKS, b. about 1815; d. in Andover, Nov. 6, 1879; unmarried.

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1799

		Tristram Allen & Clarissa	son
		Nath[l] Mayhew & Polly	son
Apl	15	John Flanders & Hannah	——
May	6	W[m] Ferguson	——
June		Nicholas Butler	——
Aug	25	Nath[l] Pease	——
Sep	16	Matthew Allen & Temperance	son
	23	William Tilton & Peggy	——
	—	Francis Lumbert	——
Oct	12	Sylvanus Allen & Patience	dau
—		Shubael Norton & Love	——
—		Moses Adams & Martha	——
July		Benjamin Mayhew Esq & Lydia	dau
Oct		William Pool & Bathsheba	——
—		Daniel Tilton & Lavina	——
—		James Adams	——
Dec	20	Ezra Tilton	——
—		Joseph Tilton & Deidamia	son

1800

Jan	3	William Adams	——
	13	John Mayhew	——
	29	Thomas Cox	——
Mch	9	W[m] Stewart & Bathsheba	dau
	10	Zebulon Allen & Prudence	son
May		Ward Tilton & Elizabeth	son
"	15	George West & Prudence	dau
July	11	Archibald McCollum & Polly	son
Aug	7	Susanna Johnson	——
	8	Oliver Tilton & Eunice	dau
	19	James Hancock	——
	25	Jonathan Mayhew & Parnell	son
Sep	11	Hebron Mayhew & Deborah	son
	30	Ezra Allen & Beulah	dau
—		W[m] Norton & Polly	son
Oct	13	Polly, Stewart	son
	26	William Mayhew & Phebe	——
Mch		Matthew Coffin & Betsey	——
—		Uriel Hillman	——
Sept	4	Dr Allen Mayhew & Eunice	dau

1801

Jan	5	Moses Hillman & Lydia	dau
	24	David Tilton & Matty	"
Mch	27	Fortunatus Pease	——

Ap	26	Zephaniah Mayhew	——
Jun	30	Nathl Mayhew & Polly	dau
Aug	9	Wm B Mayhew & Prudence	"
	16	Wm Bassett & Olivia	"
—		Shubael Norton & Love	
Nov	9	John Flanders	
—		Nathl Pease	
June		Abishai Lumbert	

1802

Jan	1.	Thos. Lumbert & Parnell	dau
	12	Tristram Allen & Clarissa	"
	—	Henry Allen & Sophia	son
Ap	3	Beriah Tilton & Lydia	dau
	24	Seth Mayhew & Betsey	son
—		Benjamin Mayhew Esq	——
Mch	29	Wm Ferguson	dau
Ap	23	Wm Tilton & Peggy	dau
Apl	27	Ezra Tilton	dau
	28?	William Adams	"
May	23	Archibald McCollum	son
Mch	12	Mattheu Allen	dau
May	27	Prince Hillman & Nancy	"
July	25	Daniel Tilton & Lavina	"
Nov	10	Sylvanus Allen & Catharine	"
	20	Samuel Manter	"
Dec	6	James Hancock	son
	14	Rebecca Hillman	dau

1803

Jan	2	Wm Stewart & Bathsheba	son
	7	Moses Hillman & Lydia	dau
	15	Fortunatus Pease	son
Feb	15	Experience Douglass	son
Jun	4	Hebron Mayhew & Deborah	son
	8	Nathl Pease & Elizabeth	——
	23	Wm B Mayhew & Prudence	son
July	8	Wm Bassett & Olivia	dau
Aug	1	Archibald McCollum & Polly	son
Sep	2	Samuel Nickerson & Jane	son
Sep	25	Shubael Norton & Love	dau
Oct	23	William Mayhew & Phebe	son
Dec	19	Nathl Mayhew & Polly	son

1804

Feb	22	Jeremiah Pease	dau
Mch	15	Henry Allen & Sophia	son
	29	John Flanders & Hannah	son
Apl	3	William Ferguson	——
	13	George West & Prudence	dau
	23	Seth Mayhew & Betsy	"
June	8	Beriah Tilton & Lydia	"
	27	Nathl Pease & Elizabeth	son

Aug	3	James Allen & Cynthia	son
Sep	1	Mayhew Smith & Sally	dau
	5	Tristram Allen & Clarissa	son
	7	Zebulon Allen & Prudence	son
Oct	1	Joseph Mayhew & Jedidah	dau
	14	Thomas Lumbert & Parnell	son
Nov	14	Zephaniah Mayhew & Eunice	son
Dec	8	Moses Hillman & Lydia	dau
		1805	
Jan	30	Benjamin Mayhew & Lydia	son
Mch	1	Samuel Manter & Sally	"
Apl	22	Betsey Hancock	"
May	13	Sylvanus Allen & Catherine	dau
Jun	22	William Adams & Thankful	son
Sep	14	Thomas Tilton & Fear	son
	21	Hebron Mayhew & Deborah	dau
Oc	14	Oliver Tilton & Eunice	son
	22	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	dau
—		George Look & Persis	——
		1806	
Jan	10	Fortunatus Pease & Rose	dau
	18	Daniel Luce & Abigail	son
Feb	3	Horace Gould & Polly	dau
	23	James Allen & Cynthia	"
Mch	10	Wm B Mayhew & Prudence	son
Apl	5	Moses Hillman & Lydia	dau
	27	Ephraim Pease & Sukey	"
	28	Archibald McCollum & Patty	"
May	12	Wm Stewart & Bathsheba	"
Jun	29	John Flanders & Hannah	dau
July	18	Ephraim Pool & Polly	"
Aug	17	William Mayhew & Phebe	"
Sep	7	Seth Mayhew & Betsey	"
Oct	1	Mayhew Smith & Sally	"
	4	Henry Allen & Sophia	"
Nov	6	David Mayhew & Patty	"
	27	George West & Prudence	"
		1807	
Jan	24	Tristram Allen & Clarissa	dau
Feb	19	George Look & Persis	"
May	21	Daniel Luce & Abigail	son
	27	Benjamin Mayhew & Lydia	"
Jun	27	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	dau
July	7	Joseph Mayhew & Jedidah	"
Aug	25	William Tilton & Peggy	"
Sep	15	Thomas Norton & Lavina	son
Oct	12	Nathl Pease & Elizabeth	"
	21	Samuel Hancock	dau
	27	Thomas Tilton & Fear	son
Nov	25	Zebulon Allen & Prudence	dau

1808

Jan	17	Thomas Lumbert & Parnell	dau
Apl	19	Archibald McCollum & Patty	"
	27	Mayhew Smith & Sally	son
July	8	William Adams & Thankful	son
	18	Abner Mayhew & Eunice	dau
Aug	8	John Robinson & Jane	dau
Sep	1	Moses Hillman & Lydia	son
	7	William Cottle & Anne	"
	11	David Mayhew & Patty	"
	14	George Look & Persis	dau
	17	Ephraim Mayhew & Sukey	son
Nov	8	Moses Adams & Martha	dau
Dec	5	Daniel Luce & Abigail	son

1809

Jan	18	Jeremiah Pease	dau
	27	James Allen & Cynthia	son
	30	William Mayhew & Phebe	dau
Feb	3	Seth Mayhew & Betsey	dau
	8	Wm Stewart & Bathsheba	son
	20	Wm B Mayhew & Prudence	dau
Mch		Benjamin Mayhew & Lydia	dau
Apl		George West	dau
May	27	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	dau
Jun	4	John Flanders & Hannah	son
—		Daniel Tilton & Lavina	dau
July	31	Stephen Hillman & Bathsheba	dau
Oct	4	Mayhew Smith & Sally	dau
Nov	22	Nathaniel Vincent	son
—		Ephraim Allen Jr	dau
Dec	12	Samuel Hancock	dau

1810

Apl	4	Nathl Pease & Elizabeth	dau
—		Thomas Tilton & Fear	dau
	15	Ephraim Mayhew & Susannah	dau
	27	Abner Mayhew & Eunice	dau
	30	George Look & Persis	dau
Jun	21	Zephaniah Mayhew	son
July	17	William Adams & Thankful	son
Aug	18	Ephraim Pool & Lucinda	son
	28	Daniel Luce & Abigail	son
Sep	13	Archibald McCollum	dau
	22	Henry Allen & Sophia	son
Oct	14	William Cottle	son
	18	David Mayhew	son
—		Moses Hillman & Lydia	son
—		Jeremiah Pease	——

1811

—		Mayhew Smith & Sally	dau
Ap	21	Owen Hillman & Polly	dau

May	11	Seth Mayhew & Betsey	son
July	3	David Tilton & Jedidah	son
Aug	10	Wm B Mayhew & Prudence	dau
	26	Tristram Allen & Clarissa	son
	29	Ephraim Allen & Rebecca	dau
Sep	7	Moses Adams & Martha	son
	9	James Allen & Cynthia	dau
Oct	4	William Mayhew & Phebe	son
—		Stephen Skiff & Bathsheba	——
Nov	29	Benjamin Bassett & Prudence	dau
Dec	7	George West & Prudence	son
	10	Thomas W Mayhew & Lucy	son

1812

Jany	12	John Flanders & Hannah	son
	21	Daniel Luce & Abigail	dau
Feb	25	Abner Mayhew & Eunice	dau
	26	Serano Tilton	son
Mch	10	Wm Stewart & Bathsheba	dau
Apl	13	Joseph Mayhew & Jedidah	son
	21	Ephraim Pool & Lucinda	dau
	26	Samuel Norton	son
July	11	William Adams & Thankful	dau
	14	Archibald McCollum & Patty	dau
Sep	23	George West & Prudence	dau
Dec	11	Francis Tilton & Parnell	dau
	25	David Mayhew & Polly	dau

1813

Feby	—	Nath'l Pease & Elizabeth	twins { son / dau
	16	Jethro Robinson & Jane	dau
	23	Owen Hillman & Polly	dau
	26	Frederick Mayhew & Ethelinda [Zelinda?]	dau
Mar	24	Wm Cottle & Anne	dau
	26	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	son
Jun	7	Thomas Tilton & Fear	son
	15	Samuel Hancock & Fanny	son
July	8	Hebron Tilton & Deidamia	son
	16	Ephraim Allen Jr	dau
Aug	3	Ephraim Pool & Lucinda	son
	22	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	dau
Dec	4	Zephaniah Mayhew	son
	12	Benjamin Bassett & Prudence	son
	26	Paine Tilton & Persis	son
—		David Tilton	
	31	Wade Mayhew & Lucy	son

1814

Jan	16	Malatiah Mayhew	son
	26	Samuel Crowell	son
Feb	2	Wm B Mayhew & Prudence	dau
	26	Tristram Allen & Clarissa	dau

Mch	2	Ward Tilton Jr	dau
	15	Moses Hillman & Lydia	son
May	2	Francis Tilton & Parnell	son
	5	Henry Allen & Sophia	dau
	18	George West & Prudence	son
July	15	Abner Mayhew & Eunice	dau
	24	William Mayhew & Phebe	son
Sept	20	Hebron and Prudence —— [Tilton ?]	son
Oct	24	Moses Adams & Matty	dau
Nov	2	William Clark	dau
Dec	12	John Hancock	dau
	24	John Robinson & Jane	son
June	25	Nathl Pease & Elizabeth	dau

1815

Jan	14	William Adams & Thankful	son
Mch	13	Jeremiah Pease & Nancy	son
	14	Stephen Skiff & Bathsheba	son
Apl	5	Archibald M^c^Collum & Patty	son
	10	Owen Hillman & Polly	dau
May	16	Ephraim Mayhew & Susan	dau
Jun	1	Ward Tilton & Anna	son
	3	David Mayhew & Patty	dau
	15	Wm Packard & Rebecca	twins { son / son
July	24	Ephraim Pool & Lucinda	son
	31	Francis Tilton & Parnell	son
Oct	26	Pain Tilton & Persis	dau
Nov	17	Ephraim Allen & Rebecca	son
	25	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	dau
Dec	8	David Tilton & Jedidah	dau
	14	Hebron Tilton & Prudence	son

1816

Jany	21	Josiah Tilton & Polly	son
Mch	14	Mayhew & Sally —— [Cottle ?]	son
Apl	3	Joseph Mayhew	son
May	4	Aaron Look	dau
July	23	Thomas Tilton & Fear	son
Aug	3	Samuel Norton	twins { son / dau
Sept	4	Thos Wade Mayhew & Lucy	dau
Oct	20	Zephaniah ———	son
Nov		Henry Allen & Sophia	son
Dec	11	John Robinson & Jane	son

1817

Jan	8	W^m^ B Mayhew & Prudence	son
	27	George West & Prudence	son
	28	Shubael Smith & Deidamia	dau
	29	William Mayhew & Phebe	dau
Feb	3	Archibald M^c^Collum & Patty	dau
Mch	11	Asa Johnson & Prudence	son

Apl	27	Ebenezer Luce	dau
May	23	Cornelius Tilton & Elmira	son
Jun	6	David Mayhew & Patty	dau
	13	Ephraim Pool & Lucinda	dau
July	21	John Hancock	dau
Aug	4	Abishai Lumbert	"
Oct	3	David & Jedidah —— [Tilton?]	son
	4	Owen Hillman	dau
Oct	—	Jeremiah Pease	——
Nov	20	Pain Tilton & Persis	son

1818

Jany	19	Ephraim Allen	dau
Mch	31	Melatiah Mayhew	son
Apl	5	Love West	dau
Jun	17	Wm Tilton Jr	"
July	15	Samuel Tilton & Rebecca	"
	26	Mayhew & Sally Smith	son
Sept	2	Joseph Mayhew	son
Oct	9	John Lewis	dau
	19	Wm B Mayhew	son
	27	William Adams	dau
Nov	8	George Mayhew	son
Dec	4	Josias Tilton	dau
	16	Ebenezer Luce	dau
	3	Abner Mayhew	son
	20	Mayhew Cottle & Sally	dau
	28	Stephen Skiff	son

1819

Feb.	8.	Cornelius Tilton & Elmira	dau
Mch	17.	Ephraim Pool & Lucinda	"
	28	Asa Johnson & Prudence	dau
May	13	Thos W Mayhew & Lucy	son
Sept	8	John Robinson & Jane	son
	15	William Mayhew & Phebe	son
Oct	6	Jeremiah Manter & Elizabeth	son
	14	David Mayhew & Martha	dau
Nov	13	George West & Prudence	son
Dec	2	Mayhew Smith & Sally	dau
	13	Pain Tilton & Persis	son

1820

Mch	7	Ephraim Allen	son
	26	David Tilton	son
Aug	18	Cornelius Tilton	dau
Sep	27	Davis Mayhew	dau
Oct	26	John Thaxter	son
Dec	18	Joseph Mayhew	son
—		David Luce	——
—		Beriah Tilton	——

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Truman Cottle b. June 27, 1794.

JOHN WALSTONE OF GUILFORD, CONN., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

Compiled by Hon. RALPH D. SMYTH, and communicated by Dr. BERNARD C. STEINER.

1. JOHN[1] WALSTONE was one of the smaller planters in Guilford, coming there after the Restoration. He married, Feb. 6, 1677, Anna, daughter of Benjamin Wright, and died in 1680. She married second, Nov. 7, 1683, Dr. Peter Talman, and died May 21, 1731. Dr. Talman died July 20, 1731.

One child:

2. THOMAS,[2] b. Nov. 14, 1678; d. Nov. 12, 1763.

2. THOMAS[2] WALSTONE (*John*[1]), of Guilford, married, in Dec., 1701, Susannah Barnes of New Haven, who died Mch. 24, 1753.

He became an Episcopalian, and was one of the first of that faith in Guilford.

Children:

i. ANNA,[3] b. Jan. 16, 1703; d. Nov. 4, 1773.
ii. MARY, b. June 16, 1704.
iii. RACHEL, b. 1705; d. Apr. 24, 1755; m. Jan. 16, 1734, Stephen Hand, Jr., of Woodbury, who d. 1756.
iv. SUSANNAH, b. 1707; d. Jan. 14, 1773.
v. ESTHER, b. Jan. 13, 1709-10.
vi. REBECCA, b. Apr. 8, 1711.
vii. THANKFUL, b. Mch. 10, 1713; d. Sept. 5, 1777.
viii. RUTH, b. May 23, 1715; m. Jan. 17, 1751, David Smith.
3. ix. JOHN, b. Mch. 23, 1719; d. June 14, 1777.
4. x. THOMAS, b. Mch. 9, 1720; d. Oct. 30, 1804.

3. JOHN[3] WALSTONE (*Thomas*,[2] *John*[1]), of Guilford, married Mary ———, who married second, Sept. 4, 1797, Thomas Ford of Wallingford.

One child:

i. MARY,[4] m. Demetrius Cook.

4. THOMAS[3] WALSTONE, JR. (*Thomas*,[2] *John*[1]), of Guilford, married, May 15, 1767, Mary Cook of Branford.

Children:

i. THOMAS,[4] b. May 20, 1770; d. Apr. 20, 1852; m. Sept. 4, 1797, Esther Shelley, who d. Sept. 1846. Children: 1. *Mary*,[5] b. July 6, 1798. 2. *Haynes*, b. Mch. 7, 1800; d. Jan. 11, 1835. 3. *Warren*, b. Feb. 29, 1802. 4. *Albert*, b. Aug. 8, 1804; d. Apr. 20, 1836. 5. *Abigail Lamenta*, b. Aug. 11, 1808; d. Nov. 5, 18—.
ii. OBADIAH, b. July 27, 1774; m. May 29, 1793, Huldah Cook of Branford, and removed to Williston, Vt.
iii. DAVID, b. Aug. 31, 1776; d. Apr. 6, 1851; m. July 15, 1814, Ruth A., dau. of Solomon Dowd, who was b. Feb. 8, 1789, and d. Oct. 8, 1862. Children: 1. *Samuel*[5], b. Sept. 4, 1805; d. Oct. 19, 18—. 2. *Polly*, b. Aug. 6, 1807. 3. *Sally*, b. Oct. 18, 1809; d. Nov. 1823. 4. *Daniel*, b. July 18, 1810; d. Feb. 6, 1860; m. May 4, 1831, Lois Chalker, who was b. Dec. 20, 1804. Children: Elizabeth,[6] William, Jane Maria, Charles Edward, Jonathan, Rachel, Sally, and Mary.
iv. DANIEL, d. single.
v. MARY, burnt to death.
vi. JOHN, d. Sept. 9, 1841, in Williston, Vt.

THOMAS JONES OF GUILFORD, CONN., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

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1. THOMAS[1] JONES was one of the pioneer settlers of Guilford, and came with Mr. Whitfield. His name is the sixth on the plantation Covenant signed June 1, 1639, on the passage of Mr. Whitfield's company to Guilford. He was evidently a young man, and probably was a relation of William Jones of New Haven. He appears to have been the first Marshal at Guilford, and to have held that office without a dissenting vote. Perhaps he was not married when he came to Guilford, though this is not certain. He married a Mrs. Mary Carter, probably a widow, with a daughter Mary Carter who subsequently married Samuel Ward of Branford, Jan. 1, 1658.

He was a witness in the first court, Aug. 14, 1645, and was chosen or rather reappointed Marshal at a court held Oct. 7, 1646. To this office he was annually rechosen until June 17, 1650, when George Bartlett was chosen "to succeed in his room in that office when he removes," Thomas Jones to retain office until then. On June 9th, 1651, "George Bartlett was chosen to succeed brother Jones in the Marshal's place, when Providence shall remove him." Before June 10th, 1652, he had removed, and John Fowler was chosen Marshal. He left his property and family in Guilford, and may have intended to return. His wife died Sept. 16, 1650, and probably soon afterward his place was sold and transferred to John Meigs. The deed was given many years later, however, on Mar. 4, 1667–8, by Lieut. William Chittenden, "the said Thomas Jones's Agent." Thomas Jones had died many years before that date. Mr. Davenport, in a letter to Gov. John Winthrop, Jr., dated about Mar. 10, 1655, wrote as follows: "Mr. Disborough and Goodman Jones died lately of the small pox in England or Scotland."

Thomas Jones evidently came to Guilford for a more free exercise of his religious and perhaps political opinions, and returned to England when his friends came in power. When Mr. Whitfield tendered his reasons to the Church of Guilford, Feb. 20, 1649–50, for his removal, and enquiry was made of every man concerning his particular ability in paying to the ministers for the present, and in probability to continue according to ordinary providence, "Thomas Jones professed his willingness and hoped to be able to continue his present payments."

His home lot lay next that of John Bishop, on the east side of the Green, and he held in addition 6 acres of upland and swamp near by, 4½ acres of upland in the East Creek Quarter, and 5½ acres of marsh land there. In the Neck he held 9¾ acres of upland, and also owned 8 acres of marsh at "Salt-holes."

On June 12, 1656, Mary Carter demanded £40 sterling from Thomas Jones's estate, which the court ordered to be paid her. This sum consumed all the inventory but £1.3.8., which was ordered to be kept for the children.

Children:

2. i. SAMUEL,[2] b. in Guilford; d. Nov. 1704.
   ii. NATHANIEL, d. single, in Branford, May, 1668, leaving an estate of £52.6.0., of which £45.15.0 was due him as a portion of his father's will in England.

iii. SARAH, m. June 8, 1668, Ens. John Pratt of Saybrook, a blacksmith, b. Feb. 20, 1644; d. July, 1726.
iv. THOMAS, b. Aug., 1650, at Guilford; d. Jan. 5, 1650-1.

2. CAPT. SAMUEL[2] JONES (*Thomas*[1]), of Saybrook, married, Jan. 1, 1666, Mary, daughter of Dea. Francis Bushnell. She died in 1727. He was made an elector Oct. 16, 1667, a constable in 1669, was confirmed by the General Assembly as lieutenant of the Saybrook trainband on May 8, 1684, and was made its captain on May 11, 1699.

Children:

3. i. SAMUEL,[3] b. middle of Nov., 1667.
ii. MARY, b. Dec. 3, 1670; m. Dec. 11, 1690, John Parker.
iii. MARTHA, b. Jan. 18, 1672-3; m. —— Whittlesey.
iv. THOMAS.
v. JOHN.
vi. CALEB, m. May 23, 1725, Rachel Clark of Farmington.
vii. SARAH.

3. SAMUEL[3] JONES, JR. (*Samuel,*[2] *Thomas*[1]), of Saybrook, married, June 12, 1690, Deborah, daughter of Zachary Sanford, who was born Jan., 1666.

Children:

i. DEBORAH,[4] b. Aug. 17, 1691; d. Dec. 19, 1695.
ii. SAMUEL, b. Nov. 29, 1694.
iii. DANIEL, b. May 18, 1697.
iv. GIDEON, b. Sept. 21, 1699; d. May 5, 1701.
v. CORNELIUS, b. Sept. 11, 1701.
vi. NATHANIEL, b. Mch. 8, 1704.

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1743

Jonathan Turner, Son of Jeſſe[4] and Lydia, was Baptized Jan: 9th 1742/3

Silvanus Clap, Son of Natll & Deſire Clap was was [*sic*] baptized. Jan: 23d 1742/3

Joſhua Lincoln Son of Joſhua & Mercy was Baptized Jan: 23/ 1742/3

Suſanna Sterer daughter of Benjm & Ruth, was baptized Jan 23. 1742/3

Barſheba Foſter daughter of Eliſha & Temperance was baptized by mr wales of Marſhfield Jan: 16. 1742/3

Ioſeph Foſter ſon of Joſeph & Abigail was baptized March 6th 1742/3

Hannah Copeland daughter of Joſeph & Eliz: was baptized march 6th 1742/3.

Olive Groſs daughter of Edmund & Olive was Baptized march 6th 1742/3

Samuel Brooks, Son of Gilbert & Deborah was baptifed March 6th 1742/3

Sylla [?] Soul, & Abigail Soul, Children of Jchabod Soul deceafed, & his widow was baptized march 6th 1742/3

Iames Jacob, fon of Jofhua & Mary was baptized march 20th 1742/3

Mary Torry daughter of Caleb and Mary was baptifed April 3d.

John Cufhing, fon of John Cufhing junr & Deborah was baptized April 3d 1743

Sarah Hatch dater of Mical & Prifcilla, was baptized May 1. 1743.

Conftant Church & Lemuel Church children of Nathanael and Jerufha, were baptized May 8th 1743

Sarah Eells daughter of John & Abiah was baptifed May 8th 1743

Lydia Jacob daughter of Deacon Jofeph Jacob and ——— his wife, baptd June 5th 1743

Conftant Clap fon of Capt John Clap & Mercy his wife, was baptized June 5th 1743

Simeon Silvefter fon of Elifha & Eunice was baptized June 5th 1743.

Defire Eells daughter of North Eells & Ruth his wife an Jnfant of nine days old, being fick and not Likely to Live was baptized in private June 17th 1743.

Luce Barker of Barnabas & Mary was Baptifed June 26. 1743

Malachi Stetfon of Job & mary was Baptized June 26. 1743.

David Tower Son of Benjm Tower junr was baptized July 10th 1743

Simeon Curtice fon of Simeon Curtice was baptized July 10th 1743

James Gilkey Son of James & Grace, was baptized July 24th 1743.

Elizabeth Church daughter of Jofeph & Grace, was baptized July 31. 1743.

Miriam Brooks daughter of Tailor Brooks & Miriam his wife was baptized July 31. 1743

Ruben Rofe Son of Gidion & Eliz: was baptifed oct: 30. 1743

Richard Silvefter fon of nehemiah was baptized oct: 30. 1743

David Collomare Son of Jsaac was baptifed Nov: 6th 1743

Iofeph Dammon Son of Jofeph was Baptized Nov: 6th 1743

James, & Benjamin Cufhing Children of James Cufhing junr were baptized Nov: 6th 1743

Deborah Nafh daughter of Simeon was bap: Nov: 6. 1743

Elizabeth Brooks daughter of Natll & Eliz: was baptifed Nov: 6th 1743

Abigail Turner Daughter of Abiel & Elizth. was Bapd Dec: 4th 1743

Lufanna Negro daughter of Cefar negro, Slave to Capt Caleb Torry, was baptized Dec: 11th 1743

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Ruth Dwelle daughter of Jofeph & Mary was baptized Jan: 15th 1743/4

Adult: Mary Bowker daughter of Richard was Bapd Jan: 22.

Sarah Prouty daughter of Edward & Rebecca Prouty was baptized Jan: 29 1743/4

Samuel Tolman fon of Jofeph & Mary was baptized Jan: 29 1743/4.

Pickles Cufhing Son of Deaccon Jofeph Cufhing & Lydia his wife, was baptized Feb: 19th 1743/4.

Ruth Hatch daughter of Hezekiah was baptized March 11th 1743/4

Zenos Stetfon Son of Gidion was baptized march 11. 1743/4

Lazarus Bowker fon of Lazarus was baptized Mr [March] 11. 1743/4

Jabez Standly Son of Jabez & Deborah was baptized March 18 1743/4

Ephraim Palmer Son of Joſeph & Jane was Baptiſed April 22d 1744.

Aſa Turner Son of Jonathan & Abigail was baptized April 22d 1744.

Mary Lincoln daughter of Joſhua and Mercy was baptized May 13th 1744

Lydia Cuſhing daughter of James Cuſhing junr was baptized May 13. 1744

Mary Corthel daughter of Robert Corthel, was baptized May 13. 1744

Eliſabeth Cuſhing daughter of John Cuſhing junr was baptized May 27. 1744 by Mr Bourn

Thankfull Hatch daughter of Micael Hatch was baptized May 27. 1744 by Mr Bourn.

Jonatha[n] Star Turner Son of Hawkins Turner was baptized June 10th 1744

Rhode Bowker daughter of James & Mary Bowker was baptiſed June 17th 1744.

John Dammon son of Daniel & Judith was baptized July 1st 1744

Hannah Nichols daughter of Jsrael and ——— his wife was baptized July 15th 1744.

Rebecca Neal daughter of Joſeph Neal & ——— his wife was baptized July 15th 1744.

Mary Ewell daughter of Peleg Bryant & ——— his wife was Baptized July 15th 1744

Joſeph Church Son of Joſeph & Grace, was baptized July 22d 1744

Roland Cuſhing Son of the Honourable John Cuſhing & Mary his wife, was baptized July 29th 1744. by the Revd Mr Bourn

Ruth Bryant daughter of Benjm & Abigail, was baptized Aug: 5th 1744.

Joſeph Lambert Son of Joſeph Lambert & ——— his wife was baptized in Private he being Sick, in the Evening after the Sabbath Augt 5th 1744. an Jnfant Child.

Calvin Wade ſon of Joſeph & Rachel was baptized Augt 19. 1744.

Sarah Lincoln daughter of Jsaac & Abigail was baptized Augt 19. 1744.

Eliſha Tolman ſon of Eliſhah & Miriam Tolman was Baptized Augt 19th 1744.

Luce Silveſter daughter of Jsrael Silveſter & ——— his wife, was baptized Aug: 19. 1744.

Eliſha James Son of John James junr & Prudence his wife was baptized Augt 26. 1744

Charls Curtice Son of Benjm & Rebecca was baptized Sept 2d 1744.

Martha Collamer daughter of Thom.s & Hannah was baptized Sept 2d 1744.

Stephen Dammon Son of Jsaac & Lydia was baptized Sept 9th 1744.

Zepparah Randal daughter of Eliſha & Zeporah was baptized Sept 16. 1744

Mary Buck daughter of Jsaac Buck junr and Mary his wife was baptd Sept 16. 1744

Tamar daughter of Ceſar Negro, & Sarah his wife was Baptized Sept 23. 1744

William Church Son of Nathanll & Jeruſha was baptized Sept 30. 1744.

Luce Barker, daughter of Barnabas & Mary, was baptized Oct: 7th 1744.

Deſire Eells daughter of North & Ruth Eells was Baptized Oct: 14th 1744.

Simeon Perry Son of Abner & Sarah was baptiſed oct: 14th 1744.

Lufanna Turner daughter of Benj^{m} & mercy was baptized Oct: 28. 1744.
Elifabeth Vinal daughter of John & Mary was baptifed Oct: 28. 1744.
Abigail Turner daughter of Jeffe & Lydia was baptized Oct: 28. 1744.
Jofeph Woodart Son of James & Mary was baptized Oct: 28. 1744.
Noah Brooks Son of Tailor & Miriam was baptized Nov: 4. 1744.
Sarah Stockbridge daughter of Samuel Stockbridge jun^{r} & Sarah his wife was baptized Dec: 9th 1744.
Eunice Bowker daughter of Benj^{m} & Hannah was baptifed Dec: 9th 1744.
Jofeph Benfon Son of Jofeph & Abiel was baptized Dec: 16. 1744.
John Neal Son of Job & Sarah was baptized Dec: 23. 1744. *Baptifms this year 50*

1745.

Jofeph Stetfon an Jnfant child of Jof: Stetfon & ——— his wife was baptifed in Private, not being Likely to Live, on Saturday Jan: 19th 1744/5.
Seth Brooks Son of william an infant was baptized Jn private not being Likely to Live: Jan: 28th 1744/5.
Rhoda Stetfon daughter of Job & mary was baptized Feb: 10. 1744/5.
Hawkes Cufhing Son of Joseph & Lydia was baptized Feb. 17th 1744/5
Temperance Clap Daught^{r} of Nat^{ll} & Defire was baptized Feb. 17th 1744/5
Abigail Clap an Jnfant of Jofeph Clap being Sick was baptized in private. Feb: 27. 1744/5
Timothy Fofter Son of Jofeph & Abigail was baptifed March 24. 1744/5
John Skiffe Son of Samuel and Elifabeth was baptized April 7th 1745
Hannah Willfon daughter of W^{m} & Hannah was Baptifed April 14th 1745
Simeon Perry fon of Jofeph & rachel was baptized April 14th 1745.
Iofeph Jacob, fon of Deacon Jofeph Jacob & mary his wife, was baptized April 28th 1745
Rhode Copeland daughter of Jofeph & Elizth Baptifed April 28: 1745
Melzar Curtice Son of Simeon & ——— his wife, baptifed April 28th 1745
Elizabeth Randal an Jnfant Child of Gerfhom & Elizabeth Randal was baptifed in Private May 3^{d} 1745 Jt being dangeroufly fick
Elifha Fofter Son of Elifha & Temperance was baptized May 5th 1745
Richard, & Thomas, negro Children of Cuba, a Negro Slave to m^{r} Jsaac Turner, were baptifed; may 5th 1745.
Lenthall Eells daughter of John & Abiah Eells was baptized may 19th 1745
Daniel Randal Son of Benj^{m} and Sarah was baptized May 26. 1745
Katherine, a Negro Child of Cuba a Negro Slave, to Mr Jsaac Turner was baptifed may 26th 1745.
Martha Curtice daughter of Elifha & Sarah Curtice was baptized June 2^{d} 1745
Iohn Gilkie Son of James & Grace, was baptized June 16. 1745.
Enoch Collamar fon of John & margret was baptized June 30. 1745
Dwelle Clap, fon of David Clap jun^{r} was baptized July 28th 1745.
Margret Turner daughter of Abiel & Elifabeth was baptized. Augt 11. 1745

Iſrael Turner Son of Jsrael & Deborah was baptized Augt 25. 1745

*Ad.** Leah Fother [?] a Negro woman Living with Mrs Amy Dwelly was Baptiſed Sep^{t} 1st 1745.

Ruth Stoddard daughter of Benj^{m} & Ruth was baptized ſep^{t} 22. 1745

Mary Tolman daughter of Joſeph & Mary, was baptized Nov: 3^{d} 1745

Ephraim Stetſon ſon of Matthew & Hannah was baptized Nov: 17. 1745.

Samuel Cuſhing Son of James Cuſhing jun^{r} & his wife ——— was baptized Nov 24

Mary Gray daughter of James Gray & his wife ——— was baptiſed Nov: 24. 1745

Abigail Bowker an Jnfant of Lazarus Bowker & Abigail his wife was baptized in private Nov: 30. 1745.

Francis Cuſhing ſon of John & Deborah was baptiſed Dec: 1st 1745.

35 Baptiſms 35 this Last year

1746

Ruben Hatch Son of Nehemiah & Mary his wife was baptized Jan 19 1745/6.

Lydia Stetſon daughter of Gidion Stetſon and ——— his wife was baptiſed march 23. 1745.6

Samuel Curtice Son of Amos & Mary his wife was baptiſed April. 6th 1746

Benjamin Perry ſon of Benjamin & ——— his wife was baptized April 20th 1746

Elijah Silveſter Son of William & Mary was baptized April. 20 1746.

Abigail Tower daughter of Benj[a]min Tower jun & his wife, was Baptiſed May 4th 1746

Jemima Farrow daughter of Thomas & Jemimah was baptiſed May 4. 1746

Eliſabeth Roſe Daughter of Gidion & Lydia, bapt^{d}, may 11th

Rebecca Neal, daugter of Joſeph & Allice, bap^{d} May 11 1746

Mary Brooks daughter of W^{m} & Mary bapt^{d} May 11 1746.

Joſeph Dammon ſon of Joſeph & IoAnna was baptized May 18th 1746

Nehemiah Silveſter, Son of Nehemiah & Mehitabel, was bap^{d} May 25. 1746.

Abigail Collamar daughter of Anthony Collomar deceaſed was Baptized June 1. 1746

Lurana Lambert daughter of John Lambert and his wife ——— was baptiſed June 1. 1746.

Jsaac Silveſter ſon of W^{m} & Mary was paptized July 5th 1746.

William James ſon of John & Prudence was baptized July 18th 1746.

Joſhua Hatch ſon of Micael & Priſcilla was Bapt^{d} July 20, 1746.

Prince Bryant ſon of Benj^{m} and Abigail was baptized July 27. 1746.

Luſanna Stetſon daughter of Joſeph & Mary was baptized July 27. 1746.

Suſannah Prouty of Edward & Rebecca Prouty, was baptized Augt 24 1746

Luſanna Buck of Jsaac Buck jun^{r} & Mary his wife was baptized Augt 24 1746.

Oliver Naſh: & Church Naſh Children of Simeon and Lydiah Naſh were baptiſed by my Son Edward Augt 10. 1746.

* Adult.

Abner Perry Son of Abner Perry deceaſe[d] and Sarah his widow was baptized Sep^{t} 7th 1746.

Enoſs Briggs Son of Seth & Abigail was baptized Sep^{t} 7. 1746.

Cornelius Bowker Son of James Bowker jun^{r} & his Wife was baptized Sep^{t} 28. 1746

Jſſachar, Son of Ceſar Negro and his wife Sarah; Indn* was baptiſed Sep^{t} 28. 1746.

Sarah Dwelle daughter of Joſeph was Baptized Oct: 5th 1746

Joſeph Church Son of Joſeph & Grace was Baptized oct: 5th 1746

Lydia Turner daughter of Jonathan and Abigail was baptiſed Oct 26 1746

Peleg Bryant Son of Peleg & his wife was baptized Oct: 19th 1746.

Lemuel Cuſhing ſon of Joſeph Cuſhing jun^{r} & Lydia his wife was baptized nov. 23. 1746

Abner Wade ſon of Ioſeph Wade and Rachel his wife was baptiſed Nov 23. 1746.

Ioſhua Barrel Son of William & Lydia was Baptiſed Nov: 30 1746.

Job Neal Son of Job & Sarah was baptiſed Nov: 30. 1746.

Seth Turner Son of Jeſſe & Lydia was baptized Dec: 21. 1746

The whole Number of those baptiſed Anno 1746 is 36

[To be continued.]

WILLIAM THORPE OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS.†

By SHELDON B. THORPE, Esq., of North Haven, Conn., and ROBERT P. WAKEMAN, Esq., of Southport, Conn.

1. WILLIAM[1] THORPE, a founder and settler of New Haven, Conn., came to New England about 1635, being then about thirty years of age, with his wife Elizabeth, twenty years of age, and daughter Elizabeth, aged two years. His wife Elizabeth died Oct. 9, 1660, and he married second, Margaret, widow of Robert Pigg.

His will was dated Sept. 12, 1670, and he died about 1684.

Children:

2. i. NATHANIEL,[2] bapt. May 24, 1640, probably in Mass.; d. 1709.
   ii. ELIZABETH, bapt. Apr., 1643.
3. iii. JOHN, bapt. July, 1643-4; moved to Fairfield, Conn., and had a grant in the "Home Lot," Sept. 3, 1679; d. prior to Oct. 17, 1720.
4. iv. SAMUEL, b. 1644, bapt. June 14, 1646; d. Feb. 2, 1728.
   v. ELEAZER, b. Jan. 12, 1649; d. Feb. 20, 1649.

2. NATHANIEL[2] THORPE (*William*[1]), of New Haven, made freeman in 1699, married, Nov. 20, 1662, Mary, daughter of Timothy Ford of Charlestown, Mass. She died Aug. 28, 1684; and he married second, Dec. 10, 1692, Sarah Robbins. His will was dated July 9, 1700.

Children by first wife:

5. i. NATHANIEL,[3] b. Mar. 6, 1664; d. Apr. 11, 1737.

* Indian?

† Data collected by Mr. Wakeman concerning later generations than herein appear has been deposited with the Fairfield Historical Society, Fairfield, Conn., where it may be seen. Other data, in the hands of Mr. Thorpe, may also be consulted.

ii. MARY, b. Nov. 1666; d. young.
iii. MARY, b. Feb. 1, 1667; m. May 6, 1692, John Mackay.
iv. WILLIAM, b. Apr. 30, 1670.
v. A DAUGHTER, b. Jan. 14, 1671.
vi. ABIGAIL, b. May 15, 1676.
vii. ELIZABETH, b. July 21, 1680.
6. viii. SAMUEL b. Feb. 13, 1681.

Children by second wife:

ix. SARAI, b. Dec. 10, 1692.
x. HANNAH, b. May 12, 1695.
xi. EXPERIENCE, b. Mar. 4, 1698; m. Feb. 17, 1725, Nathaniel Payne.
xii. LYDIA, b. Sept. 12, 1702.

3. JOHN[2] THORPE (*William*[1]), of Fairfield, Conn., married, in 1684, Hannah, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth Frost of Fairfield, Conn.
Children:

7. i. JOHN,[3] d. Mar. 1, 1741-2, at Greens-Farms, Conn., aged 63 yrs.
8. ii. SAMUEL, b. 1684-5; d. Apr. 26, 1758.
9. iii. PETER, d. Sept. 27, 1769.
iv. DANIEL, m. Hepzibah ———, who d. Mar. 16, 1751-2; d. Feb. 26, 1748-9, at Greens-Farms, Conn.

4. SAMUEL[2] THORPE (*William*[1]), of Wallingford, Conn., received eight acres of land there in 1669, and six acres in "Falls Plains" in 1689. He married, Dec. 6, 1666, Mary Benton, who died Mar. 1, 1718.
Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[3] b. Feb. 15, 1668; m., as his third wife, Abraham Doolittle.
ii. SAMUEL, b. Mar. 8, 1670; d. Apr. 11, 1687.
iii. HANNAH, b. Sept. 9, 1675; m. Dec. 3, 1697, John Cook.
iv. EBENEZER, b. Sept. 6, 1678; d. Jan. 17, 1698.
v. NAOMI, b. 1681; Dec. 20, 1710, John Baulcot.
vi. JOHN, b. July 6, 1688; d. Oct. 18, 1703.

5. NATHANIEL[2] THORPE (*Nathaniel*,[2] *William*[1]) married Elizabeth ———, who died Apr. 23, 1735.
Children:

i. ELIZABETH,[4] b. Mar. 6, 1687-8.
ii. REBECCA, b. May 10, 1690.
iii. HANNAH, b. June 7, 1692.
iv. NATHANIEL, b. Mar. 7, 1695.
v. ISAAC, b. Oct. 8, 1697.
vi. SAMUEL, b. Sept. 6, 1702.
vii. MOSES, b. Oct. 3, 1707.
viii. AARON, b. Jan. 20, 1709.

6. SAMUEL[2] THORPE (*Nathaniel*,[2] *William*[1]) married ———.
Child.

i. LOIS,[4] b. Feb. 26, 1736; m. Dec. 22, 1756, Joseph Lyon; had: *Hezekiah*, b. Aug. 3, 1757; and *Abigail*, b. Aug. 4, 1760.

7. JOHN[2] THORPE (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), of Greenfield Hill, Conn., married there, May 15, 1699, Mary Davis, who was born about 1678, and died Jan. 27, 1758.
Children:

10. i. JOHN,[4] b. Dec. 8, 1701, bapt. Feb. 1, 1701-2.

ii. HANNAH, b. Oct. 30, 1703, bapt. Dec. 5, 1705; d. Apr. 15, 1758; m. July 15, 1729, James Davis; had: *John*, b. July 2, 1730; *Mary*, b. Nov. 2, 1732; and *Ebenezer*, b. June 9, 1736.
iii. MARY, b. Feb. 17, bapt. Mar. 24, 1705–6; m. Jabez Hull.
iv. ELIZABETH, b. June 11, bapt. July 11, 1708; m. William Kerns.
v. EUNICE, b. Mar. 18, 1709–10, bapt. May 14, 1710; d. Oct. 2, 1762; m. John Fanton.
vi. SARAH, b. Jan. 27, bapt. Mar. 9, 1711–12; d. 1758; m. James Redfield.
11. vii. NATHAN, b. Dec. 1, 1714, bapt. Jan. 25, 1714–15; d. Nov. 16, 1785.
viii. NAOMI, b. Jan. 18, bapt. Mar. 16, 1717–18; m. Jacob Gray.
12. ix. EBENEZER, b. July 15, 1720; d. Aug. 25, 1792.
13. x. PETER, b. Feb. 6, 1723, bapt. Apr. 14, 1725.

8. SAMUEL[3] THORPE (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), of Greenfield Hill, Conn., married there, Margaret ———, who was born in 1687, and died Nov. 3, 1767.

Children:

i. ABIGAIL,[4] bapt. May 22, 1709.
14. ii. SAMUEL, bapt. Dec. 16, 1711; d. 1786–7.
15. iii. DAVID, bapt. July 4, 1714; d. about 1793–4.
16. iv. GERSHOM, bapt. Dec. 1, 1717–18.
v. ANNE, bapt. June 11, 1721.
vi. JEMIMAH, bapt. Jan. 17, 1724–5.

9. PETER[3] THORPE (*John*,[2] *William*[1]), of Fairfield, Conn., married Sarah ———.

Children:

i. WILLIAM,[4] bapt. Jan. 9, 1725–6; d. young.
17. ii. JABEZ, bapt. Feb. 4, 1727–8; d. Jan. 28, 1811.
iii. GRISSELL, bapt. Sept. 7, 1729; m. Sept. 4, 1749, John Williams; had: *John*, b. Nov. 19, 1752.
18. iv. PETER, bapt. Dec. 19, 1731; d. 1757.
v. LYMAN.
vi. EBENEZER.
19. vii. WILLIAM, bapt. Aug. 18, 1754; d. May 14, 1812, in 84th yr.
viii. SARAH, bapt. Dec. 28, 1735.
ix. ANDREW, bapt. Apr. 24, 1745.
x. HANNAH, bapt. Sept. 25, 1737; d. June 28, 1818; m. Dec. 5, 1753, Elnathan, son of David Williams; had: *Hannah*, b. Sept. 28, 1754; and *Amelia*, b. Dec. 5, 1756.

10. JOHN[4] THORPE (*John*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]) married, Sept., 1760 (Weston, Conn., Church Record), or Oct. 17, 1760, Mary, widow of Joseph Whitlock.

Child:

i. JOHN,[5] b. Sept. 2, 1761.

11. NATHAN[4] THORPE (*John*,[3] *John*,[2] *William*[1]), of Greenfield Hill, Conn., married, May 3, 1738, Dorothy, daughter of David Osborn, who was born in 1717, and died Sept. 14, 1794.

Children:

i. EUNICE,[5] b. Dec. 3, 1738; m. Apr. 23, 1761, Samuel Merwin.
ii. HANNAH, b. July 29, 1739; d. Mar. 27, 1812; m. Dec. 10, 1761, Daniel Banks, who was b. 1739, and d. June 16, 1839; had: *Mary*, b. Nov. 16, 1762; *Daniel*, b. July 18, 1764; *Samuel*, b. July 2, 1766; *Lyman*, b. May 27, 1768; *Hannah*, b. Oct. 14, 1770; and *Justice*, b. Oct. 14, 1770, d. Nov. 21, 1770.
iii. SARAH, b. June 26, 1747; m. Thomas Hanford.
iv. GRISSELL, b. Apr. 18, 1756–7; m. (1) Moses Dimon; m. (2) Lyman Bradley.

12. EBENEZER[4] THORPE (*John,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), of Weston, Conn., married, June 24, 1746, Mary Jones, who was born in 1714, and died Mar. 22, 1799, leaving a good estate.

Children:

i. JOHN,[5] b. Mar. 15, 1747.
ii. MARY, b. Sept. 28, 1752; m. Nov. 15, 1769, Josiah Sanford.

13. PETER[4] THORPE (*John,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), of Greenfield Hill, Conn., married, Jan. or June 13, 1747–8, Eunice, daughter of Jabez and Rebecca (Rowland) Davis, who was born Nov. 15, 1730, and died in 1769.

Children:

i. JABEZ,[5] bapt. June 13, 1748–9; d. Nov. 1, 1824.
ii. LYDIA, b. Feb. 12, d. Oct. 2, 1758.
iii. PETER, bapt. Jan. 3, 1760; d. Oct. 5, 1808; m. ———, but had no children.
iv. LYMAN, bapt. Apr. 11, 1762.
v. EBENEZER, bapt. June, 1765; d. Feb. 13, 1842; m. Rhoda Lockwood, who d. Aug. 8, 1838.

14. SAMUEL[4] THORPE (*Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]) married Hannah ———, who was born Feb. 2, 1713–14, and died Apr. 11, 1806. They both renewed the Covenant in Greenfield Hill (Conn.) Church, in 1735. His will was dated Dec. 14, 1784.

Children:

i. LUCRETIA,[5] b. Aug. 3, 1735; m. Apr. 12, 1752, Jonathan Robinson; had: *Samuel*, b. May 31, 1753; *Seth*, b. Aug. 11, 1754; and *Daniel*, b. June 8, 1756.
ii. LOIS, b. Feb. 27, 1736–7; m. Dec. 22, 1756, Joseph Lyon.
iii. REUEL, b. Nov. 2, 1738; d. Nov. 5, 1798.
iv. ANNE, b. Apr. 6, 1740; m. June 24, 1760, John Drew of Redding, Conn., who d. Mar. 9, 1819, aged 95 yrs.; had: *Sarah*, b. May 12, 1762; *Daniel*, b. Apr. 24, 1764; *Anna*, b. Oct. 30, 1766; *Noah*, b. Aug. 8, 1768; and *Samuel*, b. Mar. 21, 1770.
v. JEHIEL, b. Apr. 27, 1746; d. Apr. 11, 1828.
vi. ELISHA, b. June, 1749.
vii. NEHEMIAH, b. Sept., 1751.
viii. SARAH.
ix. MOLLY.
x. HANNAH.
xi. RACHEL.

15. DAVID[4] THORPE (*Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), of Fairfield, Conn., married first, about 1735, Mary ———, who died at Redding, Conn., Oct., 1741; married second, Oct., 1744, Naomi, daughter of Benjamin and Rebecca Williams of Redding, who died Jan. 19, 1768; and married third, June 23, 1768, Rebecca Hall.

Children by first wife:

i. STEPHEN,[5] bapt. Mar. 5, 1737; d. July 10, 1807.
ii. ELIPHALET, bapt. Feb. 3, 1740; d. Sept. 1, 1795; capt. in Revolution.

Children by second wife:

iii. NAOMI, bapt. Dec. 21, 1746; d. Dec. 21, 1746.
iv. MARY, bapt. 1748–9.
v. RUHAMAH, bapt. May, 1751.
vi. ESTER (twin), bapt. Sept. 13, 1758.
vii. AMY (twin), bapt. Sept. 13, 1758.
viii. EZEKIEL, bapt. Sept 28, 1760.
ix. AARON, bapt. Jan. 23, 1763, about 1 mo. old.

16. GERSHOM[4] THORPE (*Samuel,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), of Fairfield, Conn., married first, Margaret, daughter of Obadiah and Abigail Gilbert, who was baptized Apr. 21, 1717; and married second, at Greenfield Hill, Jan., 1745–6, Hannah, daughter of Joseph and Hannah (Hubbell) Osborn, who died about 1811.

Children by first wife:

i. PHEBE,[5] bapt. June 24, 1739.
ii. HEZEKIAH, bapt. Aug., 1742.

Children by second wife:

iii. GERSHOM, bapt. Jan. 17, 1747–8.
iv. THADDEUS, m. Jan. 10, 1775, Sarah Roe.
v. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 11, 1752.
vi. SARAH, m. (1) Abner Hendrick; m. (2) Ebenezer Munroe.
vii. EZRA, b. Mar. 31, 1757.
viii. NATHAN, bapt. Sept. 16, 1759.
ix. DANIEL, bapt. July 12, 1761.
x. JEREMIAH, bapt. June 3, 1764.
xi. HANNAH, bapt. June 12, 1768; m. ——— Davis.

17. JABEZ[4] THORPE (*Peter,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), of Fairfield, Conn., married there, first, Mar. 7, 1754, Ann, bapt. Apr. 25, 1731, daughter of Peter and Hannah (Jennings) Sturges; and married second, June 14, 1770, Martha, daughter of Capt. Osborn, who died Jan. 30, 1810, aged 80 years.

Children by first wife:

i. JOHN.[5]
ii. THANKFULL.
iii. SARAH, b. Jan. 10, 1755.
iv. AARON, b. July 22, 1756.
v. GRISSELL, bapt. June 25, 1758; d. Oct. 20, 1837; m. July 27, 1778, Joseph Bulkley.
vi. HANNAH, bapt. Nov. 23, 1760; m. Sept. 28, 1782, John Perry.
vii. ELLEN, b. Nov. 23, 1760; d. young.
viii. ELLEN, b. Mar. 30, 1763.

Children by second wife:

vi. STURGES, bapt. June 30, 1771.
vii. CLARINA, bapt. July 3, 1774.

18. PETER[4] THORPE (*Peter,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[1]), of Fairfield, Conn., married, Apr. 18, 1754, Abigail, baptized Dec. 17, 1721, daughter of Moses Ward.

Children:

i. PETER,[5] b. May 29, 1755.
ii. JABEZ.

19. WILLIAM[4] THORPE (*Peter,*[3] *John,*[2] *William*[4]), married, Nov. 23, 1768, Patty, daughter of Nathan and Weight (Scribner) Disbrow, who was born Aug. 31, 1742, and died Sept. 28, 1793.

Children:

i. ABRAHAM,[5] bapt. May 13, 1770.
ii. WILLIAM, bapt. May 24, 1773.
iii. INCREASE, bapt. June 9, 1776.
iv. ANDREW, bapt. Oct. 19, 1777; d. Oct. 25, 1778.
v. MARY, bapt. June 25, 1780.
vi. PATTY, bapt. June 27, 1784.

THE SHERMANS OF YAXLEY IN SUFFOLK, ENGLAND.

Communicated by THOMAS T. SHERMAN, Esq., of New York City.

THE following is an abstract of the will (in Latin) of Thomas Sherman of Diss, Co. Norfolk, made by Mr. J. Henry Lea for the late Senator George F. Hoar. The testator was the father of John Sherman of Yaxley, whose will is printed in the REGISTER, Vol. 54, page 152.

Thomas Sherman of Diss, dated November 4, 1492, proved April 4, 1493.

I desire to be buried in the churchyard of the parish church of Diss aforesaid. I bequeath to the altar of the said church 6.s. 6.d.; to the repairs of the church 6 s. 8 d.; to the Guild of St. Nicholas, 20 d.; to the Guild of Corpus Christi, 12 d.; to the high altar of Yaxle 2 s.; to the repairs of that church, 20 d.; to William Tywenham, my serving man, 6 s. 8 d.; to each of my godsons and goddaughters, 4 d.; to the lane called "Styvys lane," 6 s. 8 d.; to the repairs of Roydon church, 2 bushels of wheat, and 4 bushels of malt; to the repairs of Stufton church, 2 bushels of wheat and 4 bushels of malt; to the repairs of Burston church the like. I will that Agnes my wife shall have my tenement, (except three houses, to wit; "a Berne, a stable and a net hous") next the tenement of Agnes Melton, with the croft lying between the land of Thomas Cowper of the one part, and the land in the tenure of Wm. Boby on the other part, for the term of her widowhood; also 8 cows. I will that John my son shall have my lands and tenements in Dysse and Yaxle to fulfil this my last will. Item, I bequeath to the four orders of Friars in Norwich, to each of them, 3 s. 4. d. Item, I will have a suitable priest to celebrate for my soul, and the souls of my parents and benefactors, for the space of 4 years. I bequeath to Agnes, wife of John Clerk, a heifer of the best; to Thomas Clerk, my godson, a heifer and calf; to Elizabeth Clerk, a heifer; to each of the sons of John Clerk, a calf; to each of the daughters of John Sherman, a calf; to Thomas Shereve, my godson, a calf. Residuary legatees and executors: the said John Sherman and John Clerk. Not witnessed. Proved by John Sherman, with power reserved for a commission to the other executor. *Consistory Norwich, Awbreye 150.*

The following entries in parish registers or records were also found by Mr. Lea:

Yaxley, Co. Suffolk.

1584	Oct.	25	Thomas Sherman, son of Thomas, baptized
1571/2	Feb.	3	Mari Sherman, daughter of James "
1585	Apl	26	William Sherman, son of Thomas and Barbara, baptized
1585	Sept	17	The burying of Thomas Sherman, gentleman.
1591	Oct	4	Thomas Balie married Brygyt Sherman
1601	July	21	Thomas Sherman, son of Fraunces Sherman baptized
1601	Oct	8	Thomas Sherman buried

1603/4	Feb	18	Elizabeth Sharman dau. of John Sharman, gent. baptized
1607	June	28	John Sherman, son of John Sharman gent. baptized
1608	Oct	24	Robert Sherman " " " " " "
1610	Sept	3	William Sherman" " " " " "
1614	Oct	18	Anne Sherman dau. " " " " "
1614	Oct	20	Charles, son " " " " buried
1617	Apl	10	Marina, dau. of John Sherman Esq., baptized

Diss, Co. Norfolk, 1551–1640.

1558	Nov.	20	wife of John Sherman, buried.
1585	July	24	John, son of Robert Sherman, baptized
1585	July	31	" " " " " buried
1587	Mar	28	Richard Sherman, gent. buried
1605	Oct.	3	Frauncis Sherman, gent. buried
1606	Nov.	9	Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas Sherman baptized
1609	May	9	Robert, son of Thomas Sherman, baptized.
1612/13	Jan	25	Robert Sherman married Ann Peninge
1613/14	Jan	6	Mary, daughter of Thomas Sherman, baptized
1616/17	Jan	14	Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Sherman, buried
1634/5	Jan	12	Robert Sherman, buried
1635	June	16	widow Sharman, buried
1636/7	Jan	11	Ann, wife of Thomas Sherman, buried
1639–40	Jan	14	Christopher Anger, married Elizabeth Sherman

Roydon, Co. Norfolk, 1559–1640.

1564	Aug	13	Margaret dau. of Anthony Sherman, baptized
1568	Aug	29	Mary " " " "
1575	July	12	Thomas son " " "
1582	Sept	7	Anthony Sherman, gent., buried
1591	Aug	30	Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Sherman, gent., buried
1580	June	15	Benjamin Wittipoll married Margaret Sherman
1648	Aug	12	Francis Sherman buried.

Stoke by Nayland, Co. Suffolk.

1630/1	Feb	22	Faith, dau. of Thomas Sherman, gent., bapt.
1633	Sept	15	Susan, " " " " "
1635	Nov	26	Thomas, son of Thomas Sherman, bapt.
1638	Apl	22	John " " " " "
1640/1	Jan	26	William " " " " "
1643	Apl	9	Ann, dau. " " " "
1645/6	Jan	12	Hellan " "Mr " Shearman "
1641			Thomas Sherman, gent., Churchwarden

Ipswich, Co. Suffolk.

St. Mary Tower, 1538 to 1650.

1562	Aug	27	Elizabeth, dau. of John Sharman & Elizabeth bapt
1562/3	Feb	16	Richard, son of " " " " "
1572	Aug	17	Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas & Margaret Sherman"
"	Dec	18	Margaret, dau. of " " " " " "
1575	Sept	25	John, son " " " " " " "

1576/7	Feb	21	Marie, dau. of Thomas & Margaret Sherman bapt (Thomas Sherman Churchwarden at this time.)
1579	Dec	20	Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas and Margaret Sherman bapt
1580/1	Jan	15	Thomas, son " " " "
1583/4	Feb	4	Martha, dau " " " "
1586	May	1	Abigail " " " "
1614	Sept	2	Mary, dau. of John Sherman
1615	Dec	21	Thomas, son " "
1619	July	15	Dorothy dau. " "
1619	Aug	19	Henry, son of Henry Sherman
1620	Sept	13	Edmond, " " John Sherman
1621	June	1	Faith, dau. " Henry Sherman
1621	Sept	16	John, son " John Sherman
1623	Dec	19	Mrs. Sherman, widow, senior, buried

St. Margarets, 1537 to 1650.

Baptisms:

1587	Sept	7	Jean, dau. of Henry Sherman
1591	Nov	7	Elizabeth, dau. of Sherman
1603	Oct	16	Henry, son of Henry Sherman

Marriages:

1593	July	30	Christopher Sherman widower & Mary Atkins, widow
1602	Sept	5	Henry Sherman, widower & Marable Plesance
1631	June	23	John Todd & Mirable Sherman
1638	June	24	John Pofford & Ann Sherman

Burials:

1601	Dec	19	Rose, wife of Henry Sherman
1608	May	9	Henry Sherman
1640	Sept	16	Elizabeth dau. of John Sherman

St. Matthews.

Baptisms:

1563/4	Feb	21	Marie Sherman, dau. of Giles and Margaret
1564/5	Feb	22	Jane " " " " "
1566	Dec	23	Jane " " " John and Elizabeth
1567	Nov	2	Margaret " " " Richard and Margaret
1568	July	2	Alice " " " John and Elizabeth
1570	Apl	13	Thomas " son " " " "
1581	May	10	Eleanor Sharman dau. of William
1583/4	Feb	23	Susan " " "
1620/1	Mar	11	Anne Sherman dau. of Nicholas and Anne
1621/2	Jan	20	Nicholas Sherman, son of Nicholas and Anne
1622/3	Mar	16	Robert " " " " "
1625	Nov	27	Xr: " " " Henry and Faith
1627/8	Feb	21	Elizabeth " dau. of Nicholas and Anne, the father being dead before she was born
1629	Oct	17	Matthew Sherman, son of Henry and Faith
1629	Nov	29	Edmond " " " Edmond and Anne

Marriages:

1577	Apl	22	John Goffe and Margaret Sherman
1598	Sept	28	Richard Loudon and Ann Sherman
1628/9	Jan	27	Edmond Sherman and Anne Sherman

Burials:

1563/4	Jan	29	Alice Sherman
1567	Nov	6	Margaret dau. of Mr. Duke Rd Sherman
1580	Apl	4	Marie Sherman wife of John
1587	Sept	10	Mr. John Sherman
1627	June	14	Nicholas Sherman, vyntner
1634	Apl	6	John Sherman, a youth

DEATHS AT EDGARTOWN, MASS.

Communicated by Miss Harriet M. Pease, of Edgartown, Mass.

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1818				Æt	No.
May	5	Jonathan Peafe	Dropfy	74	595
June	8	W^d Mehitable Norton	suddenly	75	596
	9	a Child of Thos Norton		3 mo	597
	14	a Male Infant of Sufan Worth w^d of Thos Worth	overlaid & stifled	5 weeks	598
	27	Mary Butler wife of Silas Butler A Woman Diftinguished for good senfe, for her Piety & Religion. She languifhed under great Pain & Diftrefs totally Helplefs for Two Years with out a murmur.		74	599
	27	Benj^a Fitch a Town Pauper he had a shock of the Palfey 14 Years ago He had been helplefs a Bed rid for a long Time & had no Reafon.		67	600
July	4	a male Inft of Shubal Norton	Twins	9 days	601
	8	a male Inft of Shubael Norton	Twins	13 days	602
	18	a male Child of Thos Milton a poor Thing torn out of Shape by the Ricketts		23 mo	603
	21	a male of Saml Huxford	Hoop Coug	7 mo	604
	25	Electa Fellows Daughter of Daniel Fellows The 5 Daug^t which they have loft		6 mo	605
Aug^t.	1	James Coffin Esqr	Confump	72	606
	15	a male of Nathan^l Vincent Ju^r		5	607
		The 3^d Day of April Charles Norton Son of Wm Norton was drowned. A whale stove the Boat & before Relief could get him he sunk		25	608
		The 30th of May John Crofman son of Peleg was on a whaling Voiage, he fell from the main Top maft Yard into the sea & was drowned		23	609
Sept	22	Ofborn Fifher. He had been Georgia, come Home Sick after about 10 Days a Dyfentery took Place of which he Died		27	610
Nov	19	a Female Infant of Aaron Norton		15 days	611

Nov	27	Dennis Davis son of Melatiah died diftracted in chains & Hand Cufs He was a Baptift they sent for James Crofby a very ignorant man to attend Fun.	42	612
Decem	18	Ruben Beetle Hect. Decay	54	613
1819				
May	3	Bartlett son of Jesse Peafe in consequence of a burn by falling into the Fire	8 mo	614
June	3	Puella Wife of John Gray. She had for some Years had an Anurifm on the Right carotid it burft and she expired in a few moments.		615
July	1	John Coffin he had been rendered very feeble by a paralitick shock for Years he had failed for some months was attacked with a Dyfentery & languifhed for Ten Days	73	616
		Cornelius Ripley died on his Pafsage from the Weft Indies the 20th of June	19	617
Sept	4	Triftram Mayhew son of Matt^{w} a suddent difsontion of Blood & Mortification	15	618
	21	a Male Child of William Fifhers	13 mo	619
Aug^{t}		Benjn Weeks died in New Orleans	23	620
Nov	14	a Female Infant of Thos Coffin Eldridge a Baptift attended Funeral	4 mo	621
Decem^{r}	20	W^{d} Anna Dunham	92	622
	30	Ann Frances Norton Wife of Col. Beriah Norton She had declined for a number of Years and was helplefs	83	623
1820				
Jan.	1	The Wid^{w} Hannah Beetle a worthy Chriftian she had for several Years been deprived of her Reafon	95	624
		The Wid: Abigail Fifher she had been helplefs by a shock of the Palfy a Town Pauper	73	625
	13	The Wi^{d} Jedidah Cleavland She was a humble Chriftian She languifhed for a number of Years her sufferings were very great I fear some through Neglect She was a Town Pauper & lived with her Daug^{t} Matta Cleavland	71	626
	23	Edmund Bradley's Twins both mails died the Day of their Birth	1 day	627 628
Feb	18	Wi^{d} Jane Vincent She had lived a W^{d} 41 Years. She was very weakly & pious Woman	88	629
	20	Mary Norton w^{d} of Samuel Norton she was sifter to the Davises who are zealous Baptifts they could never shake her Faith She was a member of this Chh she languifhed for several Years	77	630
March	9	Elizabeth wife of Leonard Jernegan. in Child Bed	43	631
	20	Received the News that Leonard Jernegan was loft in the Gulph Stream. The Schooner		

		upset & he with Forty Three Paſsengers & crew perished on the 6th of March. his mate & one seaman were taken from the wreck on the 8th		35	632
	25	Naomi wife of Wm Brown		45	633
	26	Anthony Chadwick Universal Decay He was a Portugee a State Pauper		67	634
April	9	Amaziah Fiſher Jur He had been married 4 months			635
May	8	a Son of Saml Coffins		2	636
Augt	2	a Female Child of Ebr Smiths		1	637
	26	Levy Fiſher	Palſy	30	638
Sept	2	Jaſon Luce			639
Oct	4	a male of Thos Smith	suddent	6	640
	24	a male of John Marchant		2	641
Nov	14	Sarah wife of Elijah Dunham		90½	642
	20	Lemuel Clarke	untimely	46	643
Decem	2	Thomas Cooke Eſqr	Languiſhment	82	644
		Rebeccah wife of Elisha Dunham Jur	Conſ		645
	4	Beriah Norton Eſqr	old age	86	646
	7	Freeborn Fiſher son of Amazh	Fever	17	647
1821					
Jan	13	Elijah Dunham	old age	87	648
	30	Rebeccah wife of Saml Butler	in Child Bed	26	649
Feb	4	a Female Child of Nathaniel Vincent		16 mo	650
	23	Wid Suſan Cleavland. She had paſsed thro a Sea of Trouble & diſtreſs for many Years		55	651
	23	Lydia Norton a poor miſerable object with a canser which eat for several Years till her Noſe was entirely gone	fortaſse	68	652
March	9	Sarah Marchant She was a Town Pauper. Her sufferings were beyond deſcription Subject to mental Derangements but when in the Exerciſe of her Reaſon strictly virtuous and pious		62	653
April	9	Ann Thaxter wife of Joſeph	dropſy	60	654
May	5	Benjamin Smith Eſqr He was a man of the firſt abilities and I believe of strict integrity		82	655
		There is a miſtake in the Number it is 660			
	15	Henry Oſborn Fellows son Danl Jur		9	656
July	6	Polly Arey	Child Bed	39	657
		She had Twins about a fortnight	1 male		658
		ago they gaſped & died	1 Female		659
Sept		Mr. Nathan Shearman Read of New Haven died of a Paralitic shock on his Head on board of Capt. Catlin sloop, & was buried he had been a Clergyman but diſmiſsed for his Imprudence. He left a wd but no children. His parents are living			660
Oct.	15	Melatiah Davis He was a Baptiſt a mixed character unhappy in his Temper weak & avaricious		72	661

Oct.	23	a male child of Thos Smith Burnt to Death by its clothes Taking Fire	3 3 mo	662
	27	Abigail Jernegan Dropſey A pious & Virtuous young Woman	26	663
Nov	5	Eraſtus Beecher a Native of Connect^{t} fortaſse He has lived here a number of Years & left a w^{d} & Five Daughters poor.	60	674
Decem	21	Mary the Wife of Edmund Bradley	37	665
		a Female of Thomas Mayhew Ju^{r} in Fits in conſequence of a scald	2	666
1822				
March	5	Sarah wife of Andrew Fiſher child Bed	31	667
		a Female of Saml Huxford non compos	3	668
		Samuel Norris at Homes Hole I knew not his age. He called himſelf a Baptiſt		669
	30	Received the News of the Death of Triſtram Cleavland drowned in the Pacific Ocean. He was the son of Joſeph & Matta Cleavland	19	670
May	5	a male of William Fiſher. This is the 3^{d} he has loſt. The two firſt while he lived at Homes Hole.	19 mo	671
	8	Received the News of the Death of Peter Peaſe 3^{d}. He died at Port au Prince Island of St Domingo		672
	30	Nathaniel Vincent old age He was a meek & humble Chriſtian prudent, Diſcreet, upright & honeſt "an Iſraelite indeed in whom was no guile." He retained his reaſon to the laſt moment	97	673
June	24	Jane Beetle wife of William Beetle conſump a woman of exemplary Piety & Virtue	62	674
July	25	Huldah wife of Thomas Jernigan a Woman diſtinguiſhed for her remarkable Piety from early Life	72	675
Aug^{t}	29	Eliſha Dunham Mortification occationed by a Cut on his Leg with a Scyth	73	676
last of Sept.		Oliver Davis a Baptiſt at H. Hole The Typus Fever has prevailed at Homes Hole occationed I believe by putrid menhaden in Davis Corn Field. Wm Butlers Family & Eben^{n} Smith have several of them & others had it thro the Goodness of God it has not proved mortal	33	677
	9	We received the News of the Death of Henry Cooke son of Littleton Cooke who died in Batavia		678
	10	Betſey Dunham Daug^{t} of Benajah Dunham & Mary his Wife He went & died abroad about 30 Years ago. She had been helpleſs & a publick charge for many Years	35	679
Oct	27	Ezra Cleavland turned Baptiſt but never was diped he was not happy in his Family his Wife & Children it is believed was the Cause	76	680

Decem	17	Mary Shaw Norris bapt. H. Hole	24	681
	26	An Infant of Arnold Butlers still born		682
1823				
Jan	3	a male Infant of Uriah Coffin a little thing	4 weeks	683
Feb	14	a male of Matthew Fifhers	14 mo	684
April	29	Jofeph Fifher angina Pect	67	685
Jan	2	Martin Arey died at Valparizo South America master of the sloop Apollo	32	686
July	24	Thomas Stewart an exemplary Chriftian an Honest man a good citizen. His family had turned Methodift and for a Number of Years treated him very ill. He bore it with Patience in his laft sickness which was long & diftrefsing he was treated with kindness	80	687
Aug^{t}	8	Zoraida Coffin Daug^{t} of Timothy Coffin Confump	23	688
Sep^{t}	26	Elijah Daggett suddent He fell dead out at the Door he had been lingering some Time fortafse	38	689
	19	Peleg Norton Cancer in his Face	72	690
	20	Anna Smith wife of Harrifon Smith Consump she was the Daug^{t} of William Beetle a Pious & Virtuous Woman	36	691
Oct	12	Capt Melatiah Peafe old age A worthy character He left a W^{d} with whom he had lived 68 & upward of 100 Descendents	90	692
	27	Ichabod Cleavland	75	693
Nov	16	Love Smith W^{d} of Benjn late Deceafed old	82	694
Decem	1	Frederick Coffin Son of Tim^{o} Confump	29	695
	17	a male Infant of David Coffin	3 days	696
		Ann Frances Norton Daug^{t} of Col Norton	47	697
	21	a Child of Saml Paints Deformed lived a few hours		698
	25	a male Infant of Ephraim Marchant	3 days	699
1824				
Feb	9	Francis Peafe Methodift	67	700
March	18	Rachel wife of Obediah Peafe She was distinguifhed for Piety Virtue & Prudence.	82	701
	22	Received the News of the Death of William Fellows son of Daniel Fellows J^{r}. He was in the Almira Capt I. Daggett Pacific Ocean	21	702
	29	a Female Inft of Freeman Ripley	4 days	703
April	25	Hepsibah Stewart wife of Elijah Stewart Efq^{r} seting at Dinner fell back & expired without a Groan She had Four Children by her formar Hufband They all died some Years ago She pafsed thro much Tribulation & I truft entered into the Kingom of Heaven.		704
April	2	Priam Peafe son of Capt Melatiah Peafe late Dyc^{d} died in New York		705
May	3	Dorcas Norton wid of Bays Norton who was drowned at Gay Head Jan ye 14th 1782 She		

		was left with Six Children the youngeſt at her Breaſt a Houſe & small Garden was all she had She brought up her family honourably & virtuouſly without beging. She was a Shining Example of the Chriſtian Virtues & died in good Hope of eternal Life	77	706
May	13	Suſanna Swaſey w[d] of Joſeph Swaſey. She was a Professor of Religion she paſsed thro great Tribulation with her Family she was long confined to her bed underwent great Pain but poſsesed a Calm & steady mind	81	707
June	29	Hiram Fellows son of Daniel Fellows Ju[r] Eſq[r] This is the Ninth Child he has loſt. He had been to Carolina & taken the Southern Fever under which he languiſhed a long Time. He was an amiable & virtuous Youth. He has but one left a feeble son	18	708
July	17	A male Infant of Mrs. Raymond	3 days	709
July	26	Elizabeth wife of Henry Fiſher fortaſse	68	710
Aug[t]	21	a male Infant of Homes Smith	3 mo	711
Sept	26	a Female of Isaiah Mills	1 year	712
	28	a male Inf[t] of Abner Peaſe	6 weeks	713
Oct	20	We heard of the Death of Capt Thomas Worth	31	714
		and William Beetle his mate in the ship Globe of Nantuckett they were murdered by the Crew one Comſtock a Native of Nantuckett was at the Head of the mutineers fell out among themselves and killed Comſtock Gilbert Smith a son of John Smith Ju[r] when the mutineers were on shore cut the Cable put to Sea with Six of the Crew & got safe to Valparizo. The mutineers when they killed Worth & Beetle threw a son of Abishai Lambert of Chilmark overboard & drowned	28	715
		him. N. B & a son of Amaziah Fiſher's		716
				717
Nov	28	Abner Fiſher. Town Paup. He had paſsed thro a vaſt Scene of Diſtreſs	57	718
	29	a Male Inf[t] of Francis Smith	5 weeks	719
	30	a Female Inf[t] of Joſeph Mayhew	2 weeks	720
Decem		We received the News of the Death of Silas Butler son of Zephaniah drowned in Pacifick ocean fortaſse	27	721
Oct[r]		Julia Ann Clarke died at a Factory in the State of Rhodiſland	19	722
1825				
Jan	3	Daniel Smith remar[ble] for Induſ'[y]	58	723
Feb	22	Peleg Croſsman a poor laborer very induſtrious & a strictly honeſt man	73	724
March	2	Charles son of Charles Butler	16 mo	725
April	11	Bartlett Fiſher was struck overboard by the steering Oar coming in at Waſhqua & drowned. he had only an Indian Boy in the Boat. He was a remarkable steady virtuous		

		young man his Father Gamaliel Fifher perifhed at Sea many Years ago	27	726
April	18	I now record the following Fordham Peafe son of Valentine Charles Coffin son of Peter They sailed in the Ship Lady Adams. She has long been difpaired of it is thought they were loft about mid Sumer 1823 they were very Promifing young men	22 19	727 728
May	10	A Male of Mary Cornels Spafms	3	729
June	30	Charles son of Jofeph & Nancy Mayhew	6	730
July	14	Love Luce Daug^{t} of Chriftopher Luce a Single aged Woman at N Weft Part of the Town Jefse Peafe attended the funeral	73	731
Aug^{t}	4	a Child of Saml Huxford a poor helpless thing weighed 8^{lbs}	2 y. & 8 days	732
	15	a Child male of Ira Darrow of Waterford State of Connecticut on a vifit to her Father Capt Matt^{w} Norton aged	3 mo	733
	29	Phebe McKensy wife of Capt McKensy came home She had Twins one died in June the other This Day. She calls herfelf a Baptift.		734
		Henry Marchant attended Funeral		735
Aug^{t}	30	W^{d} Patience Dunham	84	736
Sept	4	a male of Zadock Nortons Methodift	18 mo	737
	7	a Female of Frederick Baylies Ju^{r} a Baptift I attended both these Funerals	9 mo	738
Aug^{t}	28	About this Time John Godfrey died on Staten Ifland. He had been to Savannah Malignant Fever He was a Prufsian by birth left a W^{d} with a Family of Children very poor	45	739
	18	A male Child of Math^{w} Peafe Methodeft I attended the Funeral	17 mo	740
Oct	4	Hannah Butler W^{d} of Daniel old age & Decay buried 6th corpse putrid	78	741
Nov	18	Hepfibah Norton wife Jofeph Norton She went to bed well he awoke about 10 oclck & lay by his side dead	65	742
Decem	4	Hannah the Wife of Benjamin Norton. She was one of the firft that turned Baptist on the Ifland	70	743
	22	John Oliver of Yorkshire in England fortafse He had complained & turned into his Cabin they gave him some hot coffee He appeared to fall a sleep but was in a short Time found dead. The Brig belonged to Beverly	28	744
	27	a Male Infant a Twin of Saml Cleavland's Daughter illeg about	6 weeks	745
		The Widd^{w} Lydia Marchant old age She died rejoicing in the Hope of that Glory which is to be revealed.	83	746
Decem	27	The W^{d} Sufannah Fifher She had passed thro the moft painful scene for 12 Years with		

		a gathering of Water in her Womb which burst every Night with as severe Pain as bringing a Child into the world. The Fun[l] of Mrs. Marchant & Mrs. Fifher was attended at the Meeting House the 29	93	747
1826				
Feb	5	a Female Inf[t] of Jonathan Fifher, Jr	3	748
	6	Emeline Arey Daug[t] of George W Arey Confumption	17	749
	24	Molly wife of Jethro Norton She was not a Baptift but her Parents Zach Peafe would not be satisfied for me to attend. She was carried to the Baptift Meeting House & her Brother Jefse performed &c	52	750
	25	A male Infant the other Twin of Sam[l] Cleavland's Daughter illeg	3 mo	751
March	4	Abraham Vincent a Criple from his Birth walked on his knees. A Town Pauper idiot	53	752
	8	George Daggett Town-Pauper	91	753
	8	Violet Wafs Negro Eminent for her Piety & Virtue Town Pauper	90	754
	15	A male Inft of Eliza Courtney illeg	5 mo	755
April	2	Richard Norton. He had gone thro great Hardfhip at Sea his Conftitution was worn down a mortification took Place in his Leg I attended the Fun[l] there was a large Collection The family are divided as soon as I clofed my Difcourse Henry Marchant began to harrangue, one Thilly a Stranger Bap[t] made a prayer	41	756
	8	Molly W[d] of Frank Peafe	67	757
	14	Lydia Clarke Town Pauper	88	758
May	9	a male Inf[t] of James W. Black	6 hours	759
	20	An Infant taken with Inftruments from Julia Whelden illegitimate never had we so many Inftances till of late		760
July	8	Almira wife of George Osborn Daug[t] of Jethro Daggett She was from her Childhood very feeble & often under mental Derangement		761
July	31	a male Inf[t] of Frederick Baylies the 3[d] out of 4 which has died	4½ mo	762
Aug[t]	7	Thomas Benson of Tifbury. He had lived here a few months	28	763
	19	Sukey the wife of Uriah Coffin. She had turned Baptift	44	764
Sept	16	Female child of John Peafe	2	765
	25	William Vincent old age	94	766
Oct	21	Anna Fitch Asthma Pauper	76	767
Nov	2	Katherine Vincent	85	768
	7	Thomas Fither Decay	70	769
	9	James Banning Universal Decay He lacked but 18 Days of	80	770
	13	Huldah Coffin w[d] of James Coffin	73	771

	15	Martha w[d] of the late Melatiah Peafe a virtuous Woman	94	772
Decem	3	a male child of Dan[l] Stewart Vincents. gave an Exhortation	22 mo	773
	24	Mary wife of Dan[l] Butler She was put to bed with Twins the 23. Jefse Peafe attended the Fun[l]	36	774
1827				
Jan	3	a female Infant of Dan[l] Butlers Twins		775
	10	We had News of the Death of George Luce he was drowned on his Passage with Capt Henry Osborn bound to Charlefton South Carolina He was a Native of Nantuckett		776
	13	a male Inft of W[m] Fifhers. This is the fourth male He has two Females	14 mo	777
	23	we received the News that Cap[t] Thomas Fifher died on his Passage from the Weft Indies		778
	25	Sarah the Wife of Cap[t] Timothy Daggett with a Dropfy her sufferings were great. She bore them with the Patience of a Chriftian & died in the lively Hope of a happy Immor[ty]	51	779
Feb	5	Had News of the Death of James W. Black of Charleftown South Carolina. He fell on board a Steam Boat & was killed. He married Sufan Ofborn of this Town	34 fortafse	780
	18	Ruth Fifher she had laboured under great Infirmity for more than 20 Yrs. She was I believe a pious and virtuous woman	66	781
March	17	W[d] Ruth Luce a poor diftrefsed object she received after her situation was known every benevolent attention. She was a peculiar body a profefsed Methodist Henry Marchant attended. John Adams being abfent.	62	782
May	11	Lyman Burton of Tafhua in Connecticut died on board a Vessel from Bridge Port. I attended his Fun[l] at the Meeting Houfe	40	783
June		Sam[l] Ofborn a female Inf[t]	3 mo	784
June	7	Love Courtney. Confump. She was the Daug[t] of Benj Vincent a poor laborer. She married an Irishman who turned out a poor intemperate man. She met with great Trials but by my Benevolence she supported her Children. Four Sons & a Daug[t] They are hired Three in this Town one in Connecticut. Leonard I brought him to Years of Age My Daug[t] Thayer brought Eliza. Eliza & Leonard now live with us. Smart active industrious & Prudent.		

[NOTE. — Here the record ends, with an indication of failing powers. Rev. Joseph Thaxter died July 18, 1827, aged 83 years, 2 months, and 14 days.]

NOTES IN EXPLANATION, BY HARRIET M. PEASE.

No. 596 was Mehitable (Pease), daughter of Stephen and Jemimah (Vincent) Pease, and widow of Obed Norton.
" 599 was Mary (Neal), daughter of Thomas and Lois (Stewart) Neal.
" 615 was Puella (Butler), daughter of Matthew Butler and Jean (Vinson or Vincent), his second wife.
" 620 was Benjamin Osborn Weeks, son of Benjamin and Lydia (Pease) Weeks.
" 622 was Anna (Harper), daughter of John and Hannah (Sprowel) Harper, widow of Cornelius Marchant and second wife and widow of Benajah Dunham, Jr.
" 623 was Ann Frances (Cosens), daughter of John and Jemimah (Norton) Cosens.
" 624 was Hannah (Butler), widow of Christopher Beetle, Jr., and daughter of Simeon and Hannah (Cheney) Butler.
" 625 was Abigail (Osborn), daughter of Samuel and Keziah (Butler) Osborn, and widow of James Fish(er).
" 626 was Jedidah (Claghorn), widow of Seth Cleveland, and daughter of Shubael and Martha (Hillman) Claghorn.
" 629 was Jane (Pease), widow of Samuel Vincent, and daughter of Benjamin Pease and Abiah (Vincent), his second wife.
" 630 was Mary (Davis), daughter of Col. Malatiah and Jemimah (Dunham) Davis, widow of Henry Norton and of Samuel Norton.
" 631 was Elizabeth, or "Betsey" (Pease), daughter of Thomas Pease, Jr., and Hepsibah (Pease), his wife.
" 633 was Naomi (Daggett), daughter of George and Ethannah (Dunham) Daggett, and first wife of William Brown.
" 642 was Sarah (Vincent), daughter of Joseph and Matilda (Dunham) Vincent.
" 645 was Rebecca (Ripley), first wife of Elisha Dunham, Jr., and daughter of Joseph and Lydia (Ripley) Ripley.
" 649 was Rebecca (Smith), daughter of Samuel Smith, Esq., and Love Pease, his wife.
" 651 was Susan (Daggett), daughter of Major Brotherton and Mary (Tucker) Daggett, and widow of Tristram Cleveland.
" 653 was probably the daughter of Seth and Lydia (Dunham) Marchant.
" 654 was Anna (Smith), second wife of Rev. Joseph Thaxter, and daughter of Samuel Smith, Esq., and Anna Wass, his wife.
" 657 was the daughter of Elijah and Anna (Pease) Arey.
" 663 was the daughter of William and Abigail (Mayhew) Jernegan.
" 665 was Mary (Beetle), first wife of Edmund Bradley, and daughter of William and Jane (Coffin) Beetle.
" 667 was Sarah (Butler), first wife of Andrew Fisher.
" 672 was the son of Peter and Keziah (Fitch) Pease. He died Mch. 15, 1822, in his 29th year.
" 674 was Jane (Coffin), daughter of Richard and Mary (Cooke) Coffin.
" 675 was Huldah (Coffin), daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Norton) Coffin.
" 681 was probably a daughter of Samuel and Lucy (Shaw) Norris.
" 686 was the son of Elijah and Anna (Pease) Arey.
" 691 was Anna (Beetle), daughter of William and Jane (Coffin) Beetle.
" 694 was Love Coffin, daughter of Enoch Coffin, Jr., and Jane (Claghorn) Whellen, his wife.
" 697 was the daughter of Col. Beriah and Ann Frances (Cosens) Norton.
" 701 was Rachel (Coffin), daughter of John Coffin and Hepsibah Lambert, his second wife.
" 704 was Hepsibah (Pease), daughter of John Pease, Jr., and Jerusha Norton, his wife, widow of Thomas Pease, Jr., and second wife of Elijah Stewart.
" 706 was Dorcas (Pease), daughter of John and Abigail (Burgess) Pease.
" 707 was Susannah (Pease), daughter of John and Hepsibah (Ripley) Pease.
" 710 was Elizabeth (Whippey), wife of Henry Fisher, Jr.

No. 734 } were twin daughters of Capt. Daniel and Phebe Mayhew (Smith)
" 735 } McKenzie. Adeline died in June and Mary in August.
" 736 was Patience (Hathaway), widow of Joseph Dunham, and daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Richmond) Hathaway.
" 741 was Hannah (Crossman), daughter of Seth and Hannah.
" 742 was Hepsibah (Claghorn), second wife of Joseph Norton, and probably a daughter of Thomas Claghorn, Jr., and Mary Huford, his wife.
" 743 was Hannah (Norton), parents not known.
" 746 was Lydia (Ripley), widow of Gamaliel Marchant, and daughter of Peter Ripley and Damaris Chase, his first wife.
" 747 was Susannah (Vincent), widow of Henry Fish(er) Senior, and daughter of Joseph and Matilda (Dunham) Vincent.
" 750 was Mary (Pease), the first wife of Jethro Norton, and daughter of Zachariah and Lydia (Crowell) Pease.
" 752 was a son of Barnabas and Mehitable (Dunham) Vincent.
" 758 was Lydia (Dunham), daughter of Benajah Dunham, Jr., and Lydia Pease, his first wife, and widow of Seth Marchant and of John Clark, senior.
" 764 was Susan (Nye), first wife of Uriah Coffin, and daughter of John and Tamar (Weeks) Nye.
" 767 was Anna (Osborn), widow of Benjamin Fitch, and daughter of Samuel and Keziah (Butler) Osborn.
" 768 was Katharine (Smith), widow of Jonathan Vincent, and daughter of Samuel Smith, Jr., and Eunice Vincent, his second wife.
" 771 was Huldah (Allen), daughter of Robert and Desire (Norton) Allen.
" 772 was Martha (Harper), daughter of Capt. John and Hannah (Sprowel) Harper.
" 774 was Mary (Norton), first wife of Daniel Butler, Jr., and daughter of Tristram and Jane (Marchant) Norton.
" 779 was Sarah (Jernegan), first wife of Timothy Daggett, and daughter of Hon. William Jernegan and Mary Osborn, his first wife.
" 781 was the daughter of Henry and Susannah (Vincent) Fish(er).
" 782 was Ruth (Norton), second wife of Jason Luce.
" 787 was Lovia (Vincent), wife of Barcus Courtney, and daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Luce) Vincent.

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No. 6 was Mary (Vincent), widow of Ebenezer Cleveland, and daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Post) Vincent.
" 8 was Mercy (Norton), widow of James Claghorn, and daughter of Isaac and Ruth (Bayes) Norton.
" 13 was Thankful (Marchant), the second wife of Nicholas Butler, and daughter of John and Hepsibah (Huxford) Marchant.
" 21 was Jane Butler, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Daggett) Butler. Her brother John Butler was appointed administrator on her estate June 27, 1763.
" 36 was his second wife, Sarah Pease, perhaps a daughter of Nathan and Sarah (Vincent) Pease.
" 42 was Elizabeth (Daggett), his second wife, and daughter of Joseph and Amy (Eddy) Daggett.
" 56 was Abigail (Norton), second wife of John Pease, senior.
" 63 was Abigail (Ripley), daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Marchant) Ripley.
" 65 was probably Hannah (Pease), daughter of Thomas and Bathsheba (Merry) Pease, and widow of John Smith and of Nathaniel Pease.
" 69 was Sarah (Norton), third wife of John Pease, senior.
" 72 was Sarah (Vincent), widow of Nathan Pease, and daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Post) Vincent.
" 75 was the son of Nicholas and Martha (Daggett) Norton.
" 76 was perhaps Keziah (Butler), widow of Samuel Osborn and of Matthew Pease, and daughter of John and Elizabeth (Daggett) Butler.

No. 81 was probably Hannah (Cheney), widow of Simeon Butler, and daughter of Thomas and Hannah (Woodle) Cheney.
" 85 was Hepsibah (Skiffe), widow of Thomas Norton and daughter of Nathan Skiffe and his first wife, Hepsibah Codman.
" 102 was Abiah (Vincent), second wife and widow of Benjamin Pease, senior, and daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Post) Vincent.

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No. 141 was Bethiah (——), second wife of Ebenezer Butler. (Perhaps a daughter of Capt. John and Sarah Clarke Gould.)
" 153 was the mother of Dr. Benjamin Trask.
" 165 was Amy (Daggett), first wife of Timothy Norton, son of Bayes, and daughter of John and Sarah Daggett.
" 182 was Temperance (Daggett), second wife and widow of Samuel Huxford, and daughter of Joseph and Amy (Eddy) Daggett.
" 187 was the daughter of John and Mary (——) Frederick.
" 201 was Elizabeth (Norton), daughter of Enoch and Hepsibah (Daggett) Norton.
" 205 was Hannah (Norton), first wife of Isaac, and daughter of Nicholas and Martha (Daggett) Norton.
" 210 was Mary (Daggett), daughter of Capt. Thomas and Elizabeth (Hawes) Daggett.
" 211 was Mary (Tucker), first wife of Maj. Brotherton Daggett.
" 219 was Mary (Covel), first wife of Joseph Cleveland, and daughter of James and Mary (Dunham) Covel.
" 220 was Sarah (Martin.)
" 224 was Beulah (Trapp), daughter of Jabez and Hepsibah (Daggett) Trapp.
" 243 was Hannah (Jenkins), daughter of Joseph and Hannah (——) Jenkins.

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No. 6 was Elizabeth (Marchant), widow of Abraham Ripley, second wife and widow of Enoch Norton, and daughter of John and Hepsibah (Huxford) Marchant.
" 44 was the widow of Philip Jones.
" 48 was Margery (Homes), daughter of Rev. William and Katherine (Craighead) Homes.
" 50 was Jedidah (Tilton), his first wife, and daughter of Uriah and Jedidah (Mayhew) Tilton.
" 54 was *not* "Thankful Daggett, widow of Brotherton Daggett, senior," for *she* married a third husband, Jabez Athearn.
" 68 was Esther (Dunham), first wife of Joseph Fish, and daughter of Ebenezer and Abigail (Vincent) Dunham.
" 75 was probably Mary (Stewart), widow of Joseph Pease, and daughter of John and Margaret Stewart.
" 78 was the daughter of Nicholas and Martha (Daggett) Norton.
" 79 was Naomi (Marchant), daughter of John and Hepzibah (Huxford) Marchant.
" 83 was Anna (Butler), his first wife.
" 97 was Anna (Butler), first wife of Benjamin Pease, Jr., and daughter of Gamaliel Butler and Anna (Vincent), his first wife.
" 102 was the son of Bayes and Mary (Merry) Norton.
" 104 was Mary (Jernegan), first wife of Jethro Worth, and daughter of Hon. Wm. Jernegan and Mary Osborn, his first wife.
" 114 was Anna (Mayhew), first wife of John Pease, Jr., and daughter of Matthew and Phebe (Manning) Mayhew.
" 119 was Phebe (Manning), daughter of William and Hannah (Gorham) Manning.
" 121 was Susannah (Harper), first wife of Abishai Marchant, and daughter of John and Hannah (Sprowell) Harper.
" 128 was the daughter of William (or John) and Lucinda (Holley) Philips.
" 153 was Mercy (Osborn), daughter of Samuel and Keziah (Butler) Osborn, and first wife of William Norton, senior.
" 171 was Jane (Butler), daughter of Joseph and Thankful (Isum) Butler.

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Anno Dom^{i} 1779.

March 30. The Wife of Silvanus Delano Aged 39 years.

ADom^{i} 1780.

February 27. John Son of Willm Hunt Aged about 16 months—27. Olive Daughter of Phinehas James Aged 2 months.
May 10 The Wife of Charles King Junr Aged 21 years—19 A Child of Daniel Root, still Born—26 The Wife of Daniel Root Aged 20 years & 4 months.
July 31. Dea^{n} Seth King Aged 57.
Decem^{br} 7. The Wife of Daniel Carpenter Aged 51 years.

Anno Dom^{i} 1781.

March 25. Elijah Son of Ozias Grant Aged 7 years.
July 4. The Wife of David Allis Aged 63.
Augt 9. Olive Daughter of Phinehas Jones Aged 3 months.
Decem^{br} 8. William Henry Son of Capt Pain Aged 16 months.

1782

Feb 15 Isaac Jones Aged 92.
June 21 Rhoda Root, aged 22 years & 10 months.
Augt 23. The Wife of Daniel Daniels, Aged 67 years.
Octr 30. Sarah Whitney Aged about 16 y^{rs}.
Nov^{br} 28. Widow Daniels. Aged about 85.
Decem^{br} 11. The Wife of Jafon Millard Aged [50]—15. Jafon Millard Junr Aged about 16 y^{rs}—30. A child of Amafa Loomis Aged about 2 years.

Anno Domini 1783.

Jany 30. Sabria Thrall, Daughter of James Thrall Ag^{d} 16—
June 27. Widow Sarah Leonard Aged
July 26. A child of Benoni Robbins Aged about 18. m.^{ths}
Sep^{t} 22. The Wife of Daniel Carpenter Aged about 46.
Nov^{br} 16. The Wife of Ashel Root. Aged about 54.

Anno Dom^{i} 1784.

Jan^{r} 5. Widow West Aged 73.
Apriel 20. Lydia, Daughter of Zadok How, aged about 2 y^{rs} & $\frac{1}{2}$
July 15. Elifabeth, Daughter of Rev^{d}. Eben^{r}. Kellogg. Aged 2 y^{rs} 8 mth 6 Days—26. Lemuel Jones Aged 17 years.
Nov 12. Joseph Knight Aged —13. Betfey Ann. Daughter of Zadoc How Ag^{d} 11-m^{hs}—14. Jeffe. Son of Alexander Kenee, Aged 7 months.
Nov 27. Lucretia Daughter of David West, Aged 5 y^{rs}—28. A child of Hugh Johns, Aged about 8 months.
Decem^{br} 20. Hofea Brunson Aged 11 years—29. Efther, The Wife of Benjamin Picket. Aged 25.

1785.

January 9. Jerufha, infant child of Anderson Minor.—15 Daniel Lord Aged (67)
March 27. A child of Jofeph Safford Aged 9 months.
June 5. William Hunt Aged about 50 years.
July 20. Daniel Fitch, aged

1786.

Feby 19 A child of John Driggs Aged 1 year & 6 months.
Ap^{l} 9 Allen McLean, Aged about 71 y^{rs}.—20. The Widow Lord Aged (64).
July 11 A Son of —— Foot aged 7 years.
Oct^{br} 20. Eben Son of Elijah King Aged about 13 years

Anno Domini, 1787.

May 10 William Son of William Little Aged about 8 years.—16 Daniel Skinner Aged 84 years.—
Decem^{br} 26. Patte, Daughter of John Olcott, an Infant about 10 days old

AD 1788.

Jany 19. A Son of Loudon Millard aged about 5 months.
March 25. Capt Stephen Johns, aged 77.—30. An Infant child of Sylby Greer.
Octr 14. Sybbel Green, aged about 16 years.

1789.

Feb 16. Walter Son of Jofhua Pearl, Aged about 1 year.
March 21. Doct^{r} Joel King aged 37 years.
Apriel 26. David Allis, aged 68 years.
Septem^{br} 1. An Infant child of Willm Thrall.
Octob^{r} 3. Jared Taylor Aged about 23.

1790.

Jany. 1. Twin infant children of Eliakim Hitchcock.
March 29. Job Rude Aged 66.
Apriel 5 The wife of John Olcott, in the 28 year of her age.—7. Charles King, aged 74.
May 3. The wife of John Tucker aged 40.
June 4. Ezekiel Son of Reuben Sage. aged 8 months.—18. Widow Damaris Olcott, aged 91.
Augt 6. Widow Mary McLean aged 65.
Sep^{t} 2. A Daughter of James Chapman aged 18 months.

Anno Dom^{i} 1791.

March 11. Twin Infants of Eliakim Hitchcock.
Apr^{l} 11. James Cleland aged 85 years.—16. Patty daughter of John Olcott; aged 2 y^{rs} & 8. m^{ths}
May 21. A child of Benjamin Lord in the 3^{d} year of her age.
Augt 8. Chloe Talcott aged 55.
Sep^{t} 3. Sarah Skinner, widow, aged 85.
Oct 23. A Daughter of William Hunt, aged 14 months.
Nov^{br} 10. John, Son of Jofeph Loomis in the 6 year of his age.—24. The wife of Jabez Emerfon aged 71.

ADom^{i} 1792.

Jany 7. The wife of Ithiel Chapman.

April 11. Molly How, aged 18 years and 2 months.
May 8. Afenah Daughter of Ira West aged 19 years.
June 2. Nancy, Daughter of Thomas Field, aged 23 months.
Augt 2. The Wife of Ira West, in the 40th year of her age.—18. David Ladd, aged 35 years.
Octo^{r} 7. Widow Thankful Cleland aged 77.

ADom^{l} 1793.

Jany 11 Twin infant children of Stephen Fuller.
Ap^{l} 22 John McCray aged 70 years.
Sep^{t} 10. An infant child of Benajah Pain.

1794.

Jany 24. Mary, the wife of James Thrall, aged 51.—28. A child of ——— Green, still born.
Feby 5. Jacob, Son of Mabel Smith aged 2 years 4 months.
Ap^{l} 8. Beriah Bronfon aged 52.—16. Elifabeth Pendal aged 85.—22. An infant child of Leonard Rogers.
May 4. Anna daughter of Reuben Skinner aged 13.—21. Widow Mary Welch, aged 74.
June 6. The wife of Ebenezer Brown, aged 77.
Augt 20. George, a Son of Reuben Sage, aged about 9 years.
Oc^{t} 21. A Son of Elijah Tucker Jn^{r} aged 13 months.—22. An infant child of Eliakim Hitchcock, Jn^{r}.

Anno Dom^{l} 1795.

Ap^{l} 10 Daniel Field aged 65.
June 18. Dea^{n} David Dorchefter aged 76.
Augt 28. Widow Hannah Chapman, in her 77 year.
Sep^{t} 17. A still born child of Simon King.—29. Horatio, Son of John Olcott, aged about 3 y^{rs}.
Oct. 10. Fanny, a daughter of Ira West aged 13 months.—10. An infant child of ——— Davis.—21. A child of Nathl Taylor aged one y^{r} & half.—23. A Son of Nathaniel Taylor aged about 8 y^{rs}.
Decem^{br} —. An infant child of James Sparks.—28. A Son of Ezekiel Richardfon aged 15 y^{rs}.

1796.

Feb 15. The wife of Reuben Skinner aged 43 y^{rs} 8 months
May 18. Joel Chapman Son of Lem^{l} Chapm^{n}, in ye 15 y^{r} age.
July 17. Rebekah Daughter of Oliver Hunt, aged 5 y^{rs}.
Augt 20. Jeremiah Fitch, aged
Sept 2. David Son of David Smith Junr. aged 14 days.—29. An infant child of Eben^{r} Chapman.
Decem^{br} 16. Capt. Jehial Fuller, aged 62.

Anno Dom^{l} 1797.

Jany 5. Jabez Emerfon in the 88 year of his age.—29. Abigail the wife of Ebenezer Kellogg J^{r} aged 38.
Feb 23. Stephen Pain aged 89.
Mar^{h} 11. Cyril, Son of Jofhua Pearl, aged 7 years.—12. Eunice daughter of Jofhua Pearl aged 11. years.
Apr^{l} 19. Daniel Daniels aged 88.—24. An infant child of Caleb Talcott Junr.
June 21. Roxy daughter of Ephraim Ladd, in the 20 y^{r} of her age.—26. Harriet daughter of Eben^{r} Reed aged.

July 8. Anna daughter of Eli Hammond aged 2yrs 4 mothS.
Decembr 11. Thomas Chapman, in his 77 year.

ADomi 1798.

March 17. A little girl of ——— Warbourton aged 3 years.
Apriel 6. Warren Smith about 19 years old.—10. An infant child of Abiel Holt.—13. The wife of Abel Holt, aged 26 yr & 9 months.—28. A Son of John Daniels Jnr aged 2 years.
May 1. The wife of John Darte aged 72 years.—25. Abial Grant aged 35 years.
June 4. The wife of Samuel Lyman aged 26.
July 10. A Son of Warham Grant about 18 months old.—17. The widow Anna King aged 65.—29. Anfon Hyde aged 25.
Sept 4. Rachel daughter of Alexdr Kinney Jr aged 16 months.

AD 1799.

May 11. John Daniels, in the 60th year of his age.
July 4. Thomas Sloan aged 62.—10. William Walker aged 27.
Octr 1. Abigail King, aged 19 years & 10 months.

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Feb 22. An infant child of Ebenr Chapman.
March 30. Stephen King aged 56.
April 3. The wife of Jofeph Davis aged 56.—27. The wife of Joseph Loomis aged 39.—27. An infant child of Jofeph Loomis.
May 22.—A son of Rofwell Craw aged 4 years.—24. The wife of Captn Ezekiel Olcott aged 61.
Oct 30. The wife of Benja Talcott Jr. aged 51.

Anno Domi 1801.

Jany 25 Prudence Darte aged 49.
May 3. Caleb Talcott Jnr aged 37.
July 16. Widow ——— Hyde aged 78.
Septbr 30 A daughter of Henry Waldo aged 3 years.
Decembr 29. Jerufha Elmore, aged 66 years.

Anno Domi 1802.

Januy 8 The wife of Daniel Talcott aged 32 years.
March 27. Dilla Cady aged 21.
Apl 27. Twin infants of Ebenr Kellogg Jnr.
Apl 29. Caleb Talcott aged 69.
May 3. Hannah the 2nd wife of Ebenezer Kellogg Jnr aged 34.—4. John Wyles aged 79.—5. A child of Daniel Talcott aged 4 years.
June 3. An infant child of Jacob Talcott.—23. Widow Efther Clark aged
July 23. John Walker aged 70.—29. Widow Sarah Johns, aged 81.
Octobr 1. Clement son of Phinehas Talcott aged 7 weeks.—16. Elijah Loomis aged 72 years.—26. Charity wife of Heman Hyde in ye 35 year of her age.
Decembr 10. John Olcott, aged 43 years.

Anno Domini 1803

Feb 13. The widow Drake, aged 72 years.
April 3.—An infant child of Jacob Talcott.—27. A child of Brinton Pain, about 2 years old

May 11. A child of Elijah Pain aged 2 years & half.—14. Miriam the wife of Reuben Carpenter, aged 37.

June 13. John son of Phinehas Chapman, aged 9 years.—28. Herod son of Eli Hammond aged 4 years.—29. The wife of Irad Fuller aged 36 years.

July 7. Harriot daughter of Eli Hammond aged 3 years.

Augt 23. Andrew Emerſon aged 57 years.

Sep^{t} 19. Lucy wife of Joel Rockwell aged 44.—30. Nabby daughter of Joel Rockwell aged 9 years.

Octr 9. Lydia wife of Hezek^{h} Loomis aged 50 y^{rs}.—10. David Ladd Son of Joel Rockwell aged 1 y^{r}.—21. Isaac Brunſon aged 70 years.—24. A Son of Doc^{t} Roger Darte aged 9 years.

Octr 31. The wife of Capt Ozias Biffel aged 76 years.

Novr 10. Isaac Colton aged 43 years.—11. The wife of doct^{r} Roger Darte aged

Anno Dom^{i} 1804.

Ap^{l} 13. The wife of Elijah Paine aged 26.

May 7. An infant child of Elliot Palmer.—11. Twin infant children of Oliver Hunt

June 24. Harvey Brunſon son of Jabez Brunſon ag^{d} 17.

July 10. An infant child of Hope Tucker.

Oct 19. An infant child of Ashur Isham.

Nov^{br} 23 Jonathan Chapman Junr aged 36.—30. Daniel King aged 24 years. He was instantly killed by accidentally sliping under the crank of the water wheel of a Sawmill when it was going.

Decem^{br} 4. Phinehas Strong, aged 79.—9. Sarah Tryon aged.—25. A child of Auguſtus Grant aged 10 months.

Anno Dom^{i} 1805.

Apriel 2. Almon son of Saml Cooley aged 2 months.

Septr 21. Susanna, wife of Daniel Thrall, aged 23 years.—23. Susanna Marian McCrary, a girl who lived with John Worburton, aged 13 years. —27. Solomon Loomis aged 71 years.

Nov^{br} 11. A daughter of ——— Oldroof, aged 3 years.

Decm^{br} 27. Mary McLean aged 21 years.

Anno Dom^{i} 1806.

Feby 11 A child of Ruffel Thrall, aged 10 months.

May 1. Lewis Terrel, son of Reuben Skinner ag^{d} 4 y^{rs}.—12. An infant child of ——— Morgan.

June 8. A child of Charles Kellogg aged 7 months.—11. Sheldon son of Eben^{r} Kellogg J^{r} aged 18 months.—16. An infant child of Ep^{m} Williams.—30. Capt Alexander McLean, aged 59.

Anno Dom^{i} 1807.

March 24. Lucy the wife of Afahel Root, aged 73.

Apr^{l} 5. The wife of Elijah Tucker aged 69.—8. Twin infants of Eraſtus Hunt.

May 5. Widow Mary Hunt aged 72.

June 1. The wife of Daniel Root, aged 51.—7. The wife of ye Rev. Eben^{r} Kellogg aged 67.

Sept 20. Nathaniel Hill aged 32.—27. The wife of Elijah King, aged 64 years.

Nov 14. A child of Isaac King, aged 2 months.—17. An infant child of Joſiah Jones.

[To be continued.]

NOTES AND QUERIES.

NOTES.

TROWBRIDGE-MARSHALL.—The Trowbridge-Marshall paper in the REGISTER, *ante*, page 291, explains the following entry in the Dorchester town records, which in turn would be confirmatory, if confirmation were needed.

"Nathaniel Duncan Senior sould vnto Anthony Gulliver the 15th of the 11th moneth 1644 about 4 akers and half of land on Captn neck which was belonging to Mr James Marshall of Exeter in old England and was late in the possession of Thomas Trobridge "etc. (Boston Record Commissioners' Report, No. 4, p. 53.)

We now see that this land belonged to the brother of Mrs. Thomas Trowbridge. HENRY A. PHILLIPS.

Boston, Mass.

PROUTY BIBLE RECORDS.—The two following Prouty family records are from an old Bible now carefully treasured by descendants of the family in Schenectady, N. Y.

—

Elija Prouty & Lydia Prouty. of Brattleborough in the state Vermont. belonging to their property bought in the month December 1808th year of our Lord. Together with theire children names and the year and month that they were born in.

Sophia Prouty born June the 5th 1768th year
Elija Prouty born March 2th 1770th year
Elisha Prouty born April 29th 1772th year
Salmon Prouty born September 26th 1775th
Lydia Prouty born April the 5. 1777th year
Eunice Prouty born March 28th 1779th year
William Prouty born July the 30th 1781th year
Elitha Prouty born December 14th 1783th year
William Prouty born July the 1th 1785th year
Cynthia Prouty born August the 9th 1789th

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Written by James Prouty of Brattleboro.

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Elija Prouty & Hannah Prouty of Brattleboro in the state of Vermont. belonging to their property Dec. 9th 1830th year of our Lord. Together with their children names and the year & month they were born in.

Sarah B. Prouty Born Dec. 6th 1790th year.
Polly A. Prouty Born June 6th 1802d year.
Lydia C. Prouty Born July 14th 1804th year.
Eliza B. Prouty Born August 2d 1806th year.
Alfred W. Prouty Born Dec. 30th 1808th year.
Elija W. H. Prouty Born July 10th 1812th year.
Lemeul D. Prouty Born October 29th 1817th year.
Simon Prouty Born January 3d 1819th year.
Charles Prouty Born July 21st 1822th year.
Francis D. Prouty Born March 10th 1824th year.
Hannah D. Prouty Born May 22d 1830th year.

2 North Ferry St., Schenectady, N. Y. NATHAN VAN PATTEN.

COLE, BLODGETT, NUTTING.—The following records would seem to show that Jane, the wife of Isaac Cole of Woburn, had previously married —— Eggleton.

Middlesex Co. Court Record:

The Humble request of Jane Cole ye relict of Isack Cole deceased, & of Samuel Bloghead & John Nutton, yt whereas Jsack Cole of Wooburn died intestate

and left a one hundred twenty pounds Estate: viz. fforty pounds in moveables and ye reft in house & Lands. Its their request y^t their Mother in law Jane Cole may have a competency to maintain her in her old age she being about 74 years old Jf the court See fit to order ye one half of the s^d Estate ye aboue mentioned parties are willing to Entertain her & ffree ye town from charges and ye Selectmen of Wooburn doe concur herein.

Camb^r 6. 8. 74

The Court having heard w^t all Ptyes concerned can say in this case, do order to ye widow forty pounds to be payed out of ye moveables as prifed in the Inventory, or money, & ye widow to make choyc of her bed & furtniture in pt.

Woburn Town Records:

John Nutting married, Aug. 28, 1650, Sarah Eggleton.
Samnel Blodgett married, Dec. 13, 1655, Ruth Eggleton.
Isaac Cole died June 10, 1674.
Jane Cole died Mar. 10, 1687.

Woburn, Mass. ARTHUR G. LORING.

NOTES FROM ENGLISH RECORDS.—Northmore *v.* Ball. William Ball said to be beyond the seas. (Exchecquer Bills and Answers, 2 Ann, Devonshire, N° 30.)

Will of Joseph Ball late of S. Marys, White Chapel Parish, co. Lancaster, in Virginia, but now at Stratford in parish of Westham, co. Essex, England, esquire. Lands in Virginia and elsewhere to my daughter Frances Ball and her heirs. Nephew Joseph Chinn in Virginia, £20. 10 Sept. 1750. Witn: Eliz. Moore, Peter Newman, Rich. Newman. Proved in P. C. C., 27 March 1760, by Frances wife of Rawleigh Downmer, the daughter of dec^d and sole exex. (91 Lynch.)

Will of Thomas Hobbs of Dover, Kent, gent. Son Thomas Hobbs hath been for several years in some part beyond the Seas. Dated 13 March 1724. Proved in P. C. C., 29 April 1726. (72 Plymouth.)

Will of Sidracke Petoe of Godalminge, co. Surrey. Henry Petoe my eldest son if he be alive or return into England. Proved in Arch. of Surrey, 20 Feb. 1640–1. (251 Harding.)

Probate of will of Sarah Hyde of S. James Clerkenwell, widow, 2 June 1715, to Edward Newman trustee for the use and benefit of Joseph Hyde and Edmund Hyde in parts beyond the Seas the sons, as no one is made executor. Arch. of London.

Humfrey Hyde beyond the Seas. He was son of George Hyde of Blagrave near Abington, Berks, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Keit of Eberton, co. Glouc., she died 2 Aug. 1677. *Arms*, Gules, two Chevrons Argent. (Page 64, Gwillim's Display of Heraldry.)

Will of Richard Kett, citizen and draper of London. Aunt Madam Grace Sylvester, now resident in Barbadoes, who is exex. of her late husband Constant Sylvester, dec^d. P. C. C., 1680. (118 Bath.)

14 Feb. 1679–80. Issued a commission to Ruth Swayne the relect and principal legatee nominated in testament of Richard Swayne late of Ringwood in co. Southampton, but at Newfoundland, to administer the goods of the dec^d, for that no exor. was nominated in the will. P. C. C., Probate Act Book, 1680. (Registered at 30 Bath.)

Ruben Clarke formerly of Boston, New England, now residing in George Street, Hanover Square, Westminster, in his will mentions good friend Joseph Lee of Cambridge, New England, a ring. Dated 11 Dec. 1794. Proved in P. C. C., 5 Jan. 1795. (372 Newcastle.)

Jonathan Simpson formerly of Boston, State of Massachusetts Bay, N. America, but late of the City of Bristol, proved 23 Oct. 1795, under £5000. (P. C. C., Probate Act Book.)

John Boylston formerly of Boston, Mass., in New England, but late of City of Bath, sentence May 1795. (P. C. C., Probate Act Book.)

Mary Cooper formerly of Charleston, South Carolina, proved May 1797. (P. C. C., Probate Act Book.)

John Abbot, aged 20, a Tyler, emigrated from Bristol to Philadelphia in 1775. (Fothergill MSS., 4397.)

Mary Abercrombie, aged 27, a Spinster, emigrated from Southwark to Maryland in 1775. (Fothergill MSS., 4954.)

Thomas Ackley, aged 24, Husbandman, emigrated from Norwich to Maryland in 1774. (Fothergill MSS., 2634.)

George Adams, aged 25, Husbandman, emigrated from Derby to Virginia in 1774. (Fothergill MSS., 835.) GERALD FOTHERGILL.
11 Brussells Road, New Wandsworth, London, England.

QUERIES.

WRIGHT.—Wanted, the ancestry of Asa Wright, architect, who drew plans and superintended the erection of the buildings of Dartmouth College. He was a personal friend of the first president of the college, Dr. Wheelock. He had a son, Dr. Asahel, born 1767. R. P. WRIGHT.
47 Granite St., Cambridge, Mass.

FRANKLIN.—Ancestry or place of birth wanted of James Franklin, born about 1750, who was living in eastern New York before 1780, where his children were born, among whom were Asa, Henry, and Andres. Asa was born in 1780, and married, in Orange Co., N. Y., Roxana Chapman; Andres married Dorothy Pratt of Oxford, Mass., and lived in early life in Otsego Co., N. Y. James Franklin, the father, always claimed to be a near relative of Dr. Benjamin Franklin, which claim was affirmed by many who had known him in his early years. (Rev.) H. F. FAIRBANKS.
467 Washington St., Milwaukee, Wis.

REPLIES.

SAMPSON.—Regarding the statement of Ruth Sampson's parentage, quoted in the REGISTER, *ante*, page 221, as appearing in Marshfield Town Records, Mr. Edward H. Whorf sends me the following true copies of the records:

Marshfield Records. Original, vol. ii, p. 147: "John ffullinton of Marshfield & Ruth Samson of Duxbury were married the 13th day of october 1720"

Marshfield Records. Hatch Copy, 1879. Alphabetically arranged. Marriages, p. 32: "Fullin(g)ton John Marshfield Ruth Sampson Duxbury Oct. 13–1720 Rev. James Gardner II. p. 147." After the words "Ruth Sampson" is a caret and this inserted *in pencil*, at some time after 1879, when the copy was made: "dau of Caleb Sampson and Mercy Standish."

Concerning the further statement that Ruth Sampson was the mother of all the children of John Fullerton, the following would seem to show it erroneous:

Boston Evening Post, of April 20, 1767 (quoted in Briggs's "History of Shipbuilding on North River, Plymouth County, Massachusetts," page 353): "About a month since was born at Gen. Winslow's farm, a daughter of John Fullerton, whose age is 73 years, his wife's 47, the child being his seventeenth," etc.
EDITOR.

HISTORICAL INTELLIGENCE.

HISTORY OF NEW HARLEM, N. Y.—A new book entitled: "The History of the Patentees of New Harlem, N. Y. (1666), and Their Descendants; being an account of the claimants to the lands and properties of New Harlem" is in preparation by Murray Edward Poole, D.C.L., LL.D., of Ithaca, N. Y. The following is a list of the original Harlem Patentees: John Delavall, Resolved Waldron, Joost Van Oblinis (Oblinus), Daniel Tourneur, Adolf Meyer (Myer), John Spragge, Jan Hendricks Brevoort, Jan Delamater, Isaac Delamater, Barent Waldron, Johannes Vermilje (Vermilye), Lawrence Jansen (Low), Peter Van Oblinis (Oblinus), Jan Dykeman (Dyckman), Jan Nagel, Arent Harmanse (Bussing), Cornelis Jansen (Kortright), Jacqueline Towmeur, Hester Delamater, Johnnnes Verveelen (Van Valen), William Haldron (Holdrum), Abraham

Montainie (De La Montanye), Peter Parmentier, Jan Louwe Bogert, Johannes Benson. Address all communications to the compiler.

GENEALOGIES IN PREPARATION.—Persons of the several names are advised to furnish the compilers of these genealogies with records of their own families and other information which they think may be useful. We would suggest that all facts of interest illustrating family history or character be communicated, especially service under the U. S. Government, the holding of other offices, graduation from college or professional schools, occupation, with places and dates of birth, marriage, residence, and death. When there are more than one Christian name, they should all be given in full if possible. No initials should be used when the full name is known.

Bowers.—Dwight E. Bowers, P. O. Box 595, New Haven, Conn., is collecting materials for a family history of the descendants of George Bowers, of Scituate, Mass., in 1637, and later of Plymouth and Cambridge. Many interesting facts about the earlier generations have been gathered, but to make the record complete, the co-operation of those now living is necessary.

Hart.—Howard C. Myers, 74 Spring St., Brighton, Mass., is collecting information concerning the American ancestry and descendants of Josiah Hart of Wallingford, Conn. (son of Nathaniel and Martha (Lee) Hart), and his wife Lydia Moss (daughter of Joseph and Lydia (Jones) Moss), who moved with their family, after the Revolution, and settled in Manchester, Nova Scotia.

Pendleton.—Everett H. Pendleton, 282 Delaware Ave., Albany, N. Y., is preparing a genealogy of the descendants of Brian Pendleton of Watertown, Mass., 1634, who later moved to Portsmouth, N. H., and Winter Harbor, Me.

Spelman.—Mrs. Fannie C. W. Barbour, 169 Hicks St., Brooklyn, N. Y., is compiling a genealogy of the descendants of Richard Spelman, born in Danbury, co. Essex, England, who came to America about 1700 and settled in Middletown, Conn. She requests that all descendants, both in the male and female lines, who have not already done so, will communicate with her at once, making all data as complete as possible. Pedigree blanks will be sent upon request.

Worthington.—A history of the descendants of Capt. John Worthington of the Severn River, Maryland, is being compiled by one of his descendants. This embraces a mention of nearly every other of the old families of that state. All who have any chance of tracing an ancestry back to Capt. John Worthington are requested to send what information they have at once to Mrs. Laura A. Madden, Hotel Severance, Broadway and 94th St., New York City.

BOOK NOTICES.*

[THE editor requests persons sending books for notice to state, for the information of readers, the price of each book, with the amount to be added for postage when sent by mail.]

Jeremy Adams of Hartford, Conn., and Some of his Descendants. By ARTHUR ADAMS. Boston: Press of David Clapp & Son. 1905. 8vo. pp. 8.

This is a re-print from the REGISTER for July, 1905.

The Descendants of John Brockett, One of the Original Founders of New Haven Colony. Illustrated with Portraits and Armorial Bearings. An Historical Introduction relating to the Settlement of New Haven and Wallingford, Connecticut. The English Brocketts. "A Pedigree of Brockett" published in England in 1860. Compiled by EDWARD J. BROCKETT, assisted by JOHN B. KOETTERITZ and FRANCIS E. BROCKETT. East Orange, N. J. 1905. 8vo. pp. 266. Ill.

The contents of this volume are indicated by the title-page. In the language of the author, "equal prominence has been given to the daughters as well as to the sons in the preparation of this volume, since the strong traits of character of the mother are more generally transmitted through two or three genera-

* All of the unsigned reviews are written by Mr. FREDERICK WILLARD PARKE of Boston.

tions than those of the father." The large amount of biographical information deserves special notice. The book is printed in good type, is tastefully bound, and has a sufficient index.

New England Cox Families. No. 16. Issued by Rev. JOHN H. COX, of West Harwich, Mass. 1905. 8vo. pp. 125–134. Portrait.

This contains descendants of Robert Cox, continued from No. 8.

Genealogy of the Grigsby Family in Part, including a Sketch of the Porter Family. Published by WILLIAM H. GRIGSBY, Dec., 1878. Republished by ROBERT HALL MCCORMICK, 1905. Chicago. 8vo. pp. 8.

The Grigsbys of this pamphlet are descendants of John Grigsby, born in 1720, in Stafford Co., Va. The Porters are descended from Benjamin Porter, of Orange Co., in the same State.

A Genealogy of the Family of Cereno Upham Jones, of Weymouth, Nova Scotia. (A Descendant of Lewis Jones, of Roxbury, Mass., 1640.) Compiled by his great-granddaughter, MARY E. R. JONES, Bath, Maine, 1905. Philadelphia: Press of Allen, Lane & Scott, 1211–1213 Clover St. 1905. 8vo. pp. 38.

Cereno Upham Jones, born in 1767, was the son of a Loyalist who went from Pittsfield, Mass., to Sissiboo, now Weymouth, after the close of the Revolution. A genealogical tree is prefixed to the genealogy.

The Litchfield Family in America. [Compiled by WILFORD J. LITCHFIELD.] Part One. No. 4. June, 1905. 8vo. pp. 241–304. Ill. Price $1.00. Apply to compiler, Southbridge, Mass.

This continues the fifth generation of Lawrence Litchfield's descendants, and shows, both in text and illustrations, the excellencies which have heretofore been noticed.

The Meigs Tribe. Blue Print Chart. Revised June 1, 1905. By JOE VINCENT MEIGS. 24 inches by 19½.

The Whitcomb Family in America. A Biographical Genealogy. With a Chapter on our English Forbears "By the Name of Whetcombe." By CHARLOTTE WHITCOMB. Minneapolis, Minn. Oct., 1904. 4to pp. 621. Ill. Map. Price in buckram $7.00; in half morocco $10.00. Apply to authoress, 35 Hampshire Arms, Minneapolis, Minn.

John Whetcombe, who was in Dorchester, Mass., in 1633, is regarded as the first of the Whitcomb family who came from England to America. The four sons of the immigrant, Robert, Jonathan, Job and Josiah, give names to the four principal divisions of the work, in which are recorded the descendants of those members of the family of American progenitor. The abundance of personal details respecting those descendants fully warrants the characterization of the genealogy as "biographical." Among the articles forming the appendix, which are all of interest, is an amusing one "Concerning Capt. Otis Whitcomb, the Original of 'Josh' Whitcomb of 'The Old Homestead.'" The work is indexed with great care, and is printed, bound and illustrated in sumptuous style.

Publications of the Brookline Historical Society. John White of Muddy River, and Descendants of his Youngest Son, Benjamin. A Paper read before the Society, April 22, 1903, and April 27, 1904. By CHARLES F. WHITE. Brookline, Mass.: Published by the Society. 1904. 8vo. pp. 15. Ill.

Some of the Ancestors and the Children of Nathaniel Wilson, Esq., who was born Oct. 10, 1808, at Pelham, N. H., and died March 15, 1864, at Lawrence, Mass. Compiled by HENRY WINTHROP HARDON, A.M., LL.B., 1905. Chart. 25½ by 18½ inches.

A Branch of the Woodruff Stock. Compiled by FRANCIS E. WOODRUFF, B.A. Morristown, N. J.: Printed at "The Jerseyman Office." 1902. 3 parts in 3 pamphlets. 8vo. pp. 152. Maps.

In the last part, another title has been substituted, viz., "Fordwich, England; Southampton, Long Island; Elizabethtown-Westfield, New Jersey;

Woodruffs. Sketches, Notes, Appendix." This title fully describes the contents of the work, as John Woodruff, the immigrant ancestor, came from Fordwich to Southampton, while among the founders of Elizabethtown was a Woodruff of this stock. The notes are numerous, and the majority are of great length, affording much valuable information. The appendices consist of genealogies, both of the Woodruffs and allied families, biographical sketches forming the body of the work.

A Record of the Dedication of the Statue of Major General William Francis Bartlett, a Tribute of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, May 27, 1904. Boston: Printed by order of the Governor and Council: Wright and Potter Printing Co., State Printers. 1905. 8vo. pp. 82. Ill.

This record consists of a biography of Gen. Bartlett, addresses by Governor Bates and Lieut. Governor Guild, Oration by Brigadier Gen. Morris Schaff, epistolary tributes, and a few other minor articles. The statue was placed in Memorial Hall, State House, Boston.

In Memoriam. Rev. Lewis Bodwell. From the Clifton Springs, N. Y., Press. n. p.; n. d. 16mo. pp. 20.,

Mr. Bodwell was born at New Haven, Conn., Sept. 8, 1827, and died at Clifton Springs, Nov. 23, 1894, having been chaplain of the Clifton Springs Sanitarium for more than twenty-five years.

Letters of Mary Boardman Crowninshield. 1815-1816. Edited by FRANCIS BOARDMAN CROWNINSHIELD. Cambridge: Printed at the Riverside Press. 1905. Large 8vo. pp. vii+82. Ill.

The lady whose letters—chiefly to her mother—are here printed was the wife of Benjamin W. Crowninshield, Secretary of the Navy from 1814 to 1818. They relate to her journey to Washington, to her residence there, and to her return to her home in Salem, Mass., and concern solely the affairs of private life. The volume is an exceptionally beautiful one.

Marquis Fayette King. By NATHAN GOOLD. Boston: Press of David Clapp & Son. 1905. 8vo. pp. 7. Portrait.

A reprint from the REGISTER, for July, 1905.

A Brief Sketch of the Life of James Read. By his grandson, JAMES READ CHADWICK, M.D. A Paper read before the Hyde Park Historical Society, April 19, 1905. 1789-1870. Privately printed. The Merrymount Press, Boston. 1905. 8vo. pp. 34. Ill.

Mr. Read was a merchant of Boston, distinguished alike for honor, benevolence, and ability. This very interesting sketch of his career is printed and bound in a quaint style, in keeping with the period to which it relates, and delineates the character of a man whom this Society is proud to recall as one of its members.

Monument to Joseph Warren. Its Origin, History and Dedication. Boston: Municipal Printing Office. 1905. Large 8vo. pp. 110. Ill.

The greater part of this publication consists of the speeches made at the dedication, at the banquet that followed in the afternoon, and at the exercises in the church in the evening.

Biographical Sketches of Distinguished Officers of the Army and Navy. New York: L. R. Hamersly. 1905. 4to. pp. 383. Ill.

The officers whose lives are included in this volume are those whose activities are part of the history of the last fifty years. Some of the names receiving a place here are not of familiar renown, yet all belong to men who to some extent performed service in the army or navy. There are seventy-five sketches accompanied by as many portraits.

The South Meeting House, Boston. (1669-1729.) By MARY FARWELL AYER. Boston: Press of David Clapp & Son. 1905. 8vo. pp. 6. Ill. Map.

A reprint from the REGISTER, for July, 1905.

Supplement to Volume 2. Boston Town Records and Book of Possessions. Series of Plans of Boston, showing Existing Ways and Owners of Property 1630-1635-1640-1645. Compiled by GEORGE LAMB, from Town Records, Book of Possessions, Massachusetts Bay Records, Savage's Winthrop, Lechford's Diary, Aspinwall's Notarial Records and Suffolk County Deeds. Scale about 600 feet to an inch. Boston: Municipal Printing Office. 1905. 8vo. pp. 17.

These plans, which are the product of extensive and painstaking research, show the growth of Boston during the first fifteen years of its existence, and are of great interest in relation to history, genealogy, and conveyancing.

Thirty-Third Report—Boston Records. A Volume of Records relating to the Early History of Boston, containing Minutes of the Selectmen's Meetings, 1799 to, and including, 1810. Boston: Municipal Printing Office. 1904. Large 8vo. pp. 504.

Year Book, 1904. City of Charleston, So. Ca. Large 8vo. Variously paged. Ill.

Quinabaug Historical Society Leaflets. Vol. 1, Nos. 18, 19, 20. The Old Stone Monument on the Durfee Farm in Dudley. Parts One and Two. Rattlesnake Hill. Trail in Dudley and How it became a White Man's Highway. 12mo. pp. 215-256. Maps.

History of the Town of Rye, New Hampshire, from its Discovery and Settlement to December 31, 1903. By LANGDON B. PARSONS. Concord, N. H.: Rumford Printing Co. 1905. Large 8vo. pp. lv+675. Ill. Maps. Price $5.00 net.

This work consists of two distinct portions, history and genealogy. The first, which is compiled from Provincial and State Papers, records of church and town, and private authorities, comprises the usual topics of a town history, each receiving ample treatment, while in addition there is given a sketch of the history of the Isles of Shoals, a portion of which, constituting the town of Gosport, was annexed to Rye in 1876. The concluding chapters of the first part contain the military annals of the town, recorded with all the details it has been possible to collect, together with a list of town officers from the earliest date. The second and larger part of the work, the genealogy, includes names of families found in every region of the Union. The book is completely indexed, is well printed and bound, and is furnished with more than fifty illustrations.

Haskell's Historical Guide Book of Somerville. Illustrated. Published by A. L. Haskell, Printer and Stationer, 424 Somerville Avenue, Somerville, Mass. [1905.] 12mo. pp. 46.

Washington Oak at Mount Vernon. Remarks at a Meeting of the Massachusetts Historical Society, May 11, 1905, by Hon. SAMUEL A. GREEN. n. p.; n. d. 8vo. pp. 3.

Map of Vienna, Maine. 24½ by 19½ inches.

This plan represents Wyman's Plantation, Kennebec Co., lying westerly of Mt. Vernon, north of Fayette, south of New Sharon, and east of Chester Plantation, and was made by Jed. Prescott, surveyor, April 30, 1792.

Blue Print Map of Westfield, Mass. 1658-1672. Prepared and for sale by LOUIS MARINUS DEWEY, Westfield, Mass. 48 by 26 inches. Price $2.00.

This interesting map gives the names of the early settlers, and locates the bounds of their lands.

The Canadian Year Book for 1905. Printed at the offices of the Canadian Year Book, Toronto. 8vo. pp. 384.

State of Connecticut—Public Document No. 13. Reports of the State Librarian to the Governor for the Years ending September 30, 1903, and September 30, 1904. Printed by order of the Legislature. Hartford Press: The Case,

Lockwood & Brainard Co. 1904 and 1905. 8vo. pp. 49; 153. Ill.

The appendix to the first report consists of lists of "Portraits, Statues, and Memorials in and about the Connecticut State Capitol." Appendix 1, of the second report is a "List of Law Reports, Digests, and Statutes in the Connecticut State Library, Dec. 20, 1904."

New Hampshire Five Provincial Congresses, July 21, 1774—Jan. 5, 1776. A Paper read in part at a meeting of the New Hampshire Historical Society, Jan. 11, 1905. With an Appendix containing Brief Notices of the Persons mentioned therein. By JOSEPH B. WALKER. Concord, N. H.: Rumford Printing Co. 1905. Large 8vo. pp. 75.

The biographical appendix is of special interest as showing the kind of men who were prominent during the provincial period.

Vital Records of Rhode Island. 1636-1850. First Series. Births, Marriages and Deaths., A Family Register for the People. By JAMES N. ARNOLD. *Vol. XIV. Providence Gazette—Deaths K to Z. Marriages A B C, 1762-1825.* Published under the auspices of the General Assembly. Providence, R. I.: Narragansett Historical Publishing Co. 1905. 4to. pp. ci+21—616.

This is another volume of Mr. Arnold's valuable and important series. In it the record of deaths from the Providence Gazette is brought to a close. Mr. Arnold very justly refers in his preface to the general appreciation of the biographical items included in the notices of the deaths, and promises to continue this excellent plan.

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